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CONVENTION HAS BEGUN

GREAT GATHERING OF REPUBLICANS AT CHICAGO CALLED TO ORDER.

BURROWS SOUNDS THE KEYNOTE

Mention of Roosevelt's Name Greeted With Tumultuous Applause by Vast Host—Will Be Fought Over Platform.

Chicago, June 16.—This city today put forth her best in the way of weather conditions for the convention. A strong breeze from off the lake all day yesterday cleared the air of the humidity which has characterized it during the past few days, and of the low lying cloud of smoke, which to most transient visitors is a synonym for Chicago, and the marked coolness and dryness of the atmosphere all yesterday afternoon and night refreshed the crowd of delegates and visitors and awakened them early this morning ready and eager for the momentous gathering at noon in the great Coliseum on Wabash avenue, below Fifteenth street, where all is in readiness for the convention.

Early in the day the crowds began to move toward the Coliseum, although the chairman's gavel was not to fall until noon.

California led the parade from the Auditorium to the convention hall this morning, and was followed by Colorado, Nevada, Washington, Idaho and Hawaii. Marching clubs, playing bands and the steadily increasing crowds made gay and picturesque the scene as the day wore on and the hour of meeting approached.

The doors of the convention hall were thrown open at 10:30 o'clock, when the first visitors, delegates and alternates began to file into their seats. Upon the girders of the great arching roof the band struck up "America" and the first scene of the 1908 gathering was well under way.

There were many notable early arrivals, the guests on the speakers' platform including Ambassador and Mme. Jusserand, of France, Mrs. Nicholas Longworth, daughter of the president, and Mrs. Timothy L. Woodruff, of New York. The Kansas delegation could easily be made out, their lapels being lost behind immense sunflowers.

National Chairman New called the convention to order at 12:20 o'clock speaking very briefly. His mention of the name of President Roosevelt was greeted with an outburst of cheers which, however, continued but a few seconds.

Bishop Muldoon of Chicago, recited the Lord's prayer.

Wisconsin produced the first burst of enthusiasm, showing the personnel of any particular delegation. Men climbed on the chairs and, waving hats, led the Badger state delegation in the cry "Hoorah!" when the name of Senator La Follette was mentioned. Their cheer, however, was not particularly contagious.

At the conclusion of the reading of the call for the convention there was some applause. Chairman New then announced that the national committee had recommended that Senator J. C. Furrows of Michigan, be the temporary chairman. The recommendation was unanimously adopted, and Senator Burrows was warmly received as he stepped to the front of the platform. He bowed his acknowledgments and began his "key-note" address at just 12:30. He had been speaking six minutes when he came to the first mention of President Roosevelt. At once the demonstration began. Several delegates jumped on chairs and waved their hats, calling on others to do likewise. North Carolina, West Virginia and Alabama led the cheering, while the applause was general on the floor and balcony. The cheering lasted nearly two minutes.

Burrows, in resuming, mentioned Vice President Fairbanks' name and there was another round of applause, but not as general as the first.

Senator Burrows completed his remarks at 1:40 o'clock with the following words:

"With this splendid record of the last four years in the management of our domestic and foreign affairs, backed by the history of nearly half a century of republican policies, the public mind must rest in the conviction that the continued ascendancy in the republican party will best promote the interest of the people and

advance the glory and stability of the republic."

The secretary then called the roll of temporary officers and the convention began perfecting the temporary organization by calling the delegations to name their members of the various committees.

Will Fight Over Plank.

Chicago, Ill., June 16.—The injunction plank of the tentative republican platform looms up today as the subject of the big fight. Those who favor the plank are more and more convinced of the supreme necessity for its incorporation in the platform, while those who oppose it are making every preparation to car-

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THE QUALIFYING ROUND

PLAYED YESTERDAY FOR THE TWO BALL FOUR SOME TEAM MATCH.

SCHEDULED THURSDAY, JUNE 18

W. H. Reynolds and W. M. Johns Played Off Their Decoration Day Tie, the Former Winning by a Stroke in 18 Holes.

In the qualifying round on yesterday for the two-ball Scotch foursome team match which is to be played on the Country club golf links on next Thursday, beginning promptly at 2 o'clock, twenty players qualified. By reason of having made the lowest medal scores, J. T. Montgomery will captain one team and L. L. Ilgenfritz the other.

The foursomes will be made up as follows, the first named in each instance belonging to the Montgomery team and the last named to the Ilgenfritz team:

1.—J. T. Montgomery and J. F. Caskey vs. L. L. Ilgenfritz and E. W. Shultz.

2.—W. H. Reynolds and E. W. Shultz vs. G. A. Sturges and J. C. McLaughlin.

3.—W. J. Maltby and W. O. Stanley vs. J. S. Rogers and T. J. Sturges.

4.—W. M. Johns and S. A. Gregg vs. G. B. Stotts and William Courtney.

5.—O. M. Barnett and E. J. Evans vs. H. R. Finke and D. L. Porter.

All players who have qualified in this match are urged to arrange to be on the 1:40 car Thursday afternoon. The absence of a single player from any foursome will put that foursome out of the play, and to a great extent demoralize the match.

A golf ball to each member of the winning team will be the prize.

Messrs. W. M. Johns and W. H. Reynolds on yesterday played off their tie for the Decoration Day cup. Mr. Reynolds was winner by one stroke in eighteen holes.

A FORMER SEDALIA BOY

Weds a Pretty Young Lady at Los Angeles California.

Claude C. Frey, a Sedalia boy, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Frey, former Sedalians, now living at Kansas City, who is employed by the Southern Pacific railway at Los Angeles, Cal., was recently married to a young lady of that place, as will be seen by the following clipping from a recent issue of the Los Angeles Express:

Mr. and Mrs. George Coulson, 509 East Twenty-fifth street, announce the marriage of their daughter, Elsie Anita, to Mr. Claude C. Frey, the ceremony having been performed by Rev. Baker P. Lee, of Christ Episcopal church, at their home at 8 o'clock Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Frey have returned from a brief visit at one of the nearby beach resorts, and will be at home at 509 East Twenty-fifth street, after June 25.

Discharged and Rearrested

The case of Mike Cook, charged with disturbing the peace, which has been hanging fire in Judge Rickman's court for weeks, was dismissed today, owing to the prosecution failing to produce the evidence that an offense had been committed in Missouri.

Cook was at once rearrested, charged with an assault on Fred Smith, and Judge Clark held him on a bond of \$300.

CALEB POWERS AT HOME

EXPLAINS CAUSES OF HIS ARREST, CONVICTION AND PARDON.

FLOCKED TO TRAIN TO GREET HIM

Hurried Him to a Carriage Where His Mother and Sister Awaited Him—Large Crowd Was at the Court House.

Barboursville, Ky., June 16.—The news that Caleb Powers had been pardoned by Governor Willson spread rapidly through the country and large crowds collected at the stations of Pennington Gap, Middlesboro, Pineville and other points through which the train passed Sunday. Mr. Powers reached out the window of the Pullman and shook hands with thousands of friends.

At Artemus, where Powers used to live, the train was met by a committee of 150 citizens. The crowd here was the largest that ever welcomed any person to Barboursville.

Friends hurried him to a carriage, where his mother and sister were waiting to receive him, and the procession started for the courthouse, headed by the brass band that played a stirring march.

Mr. Powers was noticeably affected. Aged women who knew him as a boy, old men who knew him as Caleb, joined in the cheering all the way to the court house.

A committee escorted Mr. Powers into the courthouse and within a few minutes the large room was packed. Here Mr. Powers delivered an address, principally lauding his old friends for their loyalty and explaining the causes that led to his arrest, conviction and pardon.

He said in part: "This demonstration can mean but one thing, that those among whom I have been born and reared, those that have had opportunity to know me better and those who do know me better than any other people on the face of the earth, want to say and do say to all the world that you disbelieve in and repudiate the foul charges brought against my fair name.

"This demonstration means that you approve of my course and conduct for the last nine years as your public servant and fellow-townman.

"My heart swells up with gratitude and emotion when I think of the loyalty and devotion you all have shown for me from my boyhood up.

"After the bitterest canvass known to the history of any American commonwealth I was elected secretary of state. An effort was then made by my opponent and his friends to take from me the office to which I had been fairly and legally elected, and to overthrow the will of the people as they expressed it at the polls. What was my duty as your representative, as the representative of a great party?

"There were two or three courses open before me. First, I could have thrown the white flag and surrendered my office; second, I could have folded my arms and sat down on the streets of Frankfort or run up here to my home and said it looks like they are going to rob us.

"It looks like there is going to be trouble down there and I must be in such a situation that no trouble will come to me or no harm befall me. Third, I could have stood my ground and fought for your rights and mine along legitimate and honorable lines with every drop of blood in my body and with all the strength and energy of my soul.

"This I did. I could not have been true either to myself or to you and done less. It is needless for me to say to you that I am no assassin."

THAT SECRET MARRIAGE

Bridegroom Says "Somebody Started It for a Joke."

The secret marriage of Miss Sue Jenkins, a Sedalia girl, written of in Sunday's Democrat-Sentinel, was referred to as follows in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch of Monday:

For more than a month Chester W. Buck and Miss Susan Grace Jenkins, newly weds with a secret all their own, have been working side by side in the office of the accounting department of the Wabash railroad. None of their superiors or their fellow clerks knew they were man and wife.

The records show that they went

to Clayton and obtained a marriage license April 28, but they did not make use of it at once. May 2 they went back to Clayton and were married by the Rev. Walter M. Langtry. The young bride went to Sedalia Sunday to visit her parents, and while there she announced her marriage.

She said that she had intended to keep her marriage secret, so that she would not be discharged, but someone wrote the anonymous letter to her mother and the truth was made known.

"If I am married I don't know it," said Buck to a Post-Dispatch reporter Monday. "I have been going with the young lady. I guess somebody started this for a joke on us."

The Rev. Mr. Langtry has officially reported the marriage.

MEET OF ORDER OF OWLS

THE NATIONAL CONVENTION OPENS TODAY AT NASHVILLE, TENN.

THEIR MOTTO QUITE SIGNIFICANT

Order Is Not Yet Four Years Old and Still It Has Nearly 40,000 Members—Will Elect Officers Tomorrow.

Knoxville, Tenn., June 16.—Knoxville was awakened from its slumbers this morning by a shrill chorus of hoots, announcing the arrival of the members of the Order of Owls, which began its national convention in this city today.

Delegates are here from the Atlantic to the Pacific and the cheerful nature of the assemblage give proof that one and all live up to their motto of "Don't Take Yourself Too D—D Seriously."

Although the order has been in existence less than four years, it now has a membership of nearly 40,000, included in 178 nests in all parts of the country.

The national headquarters is in South Bend, Ind., and this is the first national convention held outside of that city.

A large delegation is here from the Pacific coast and will attempt to land the next convention for Spokane, Wash., where the first nest west of the Rockies was established.

The election of officers will be held tomorrow afternoon, and at the same session the next convention city will be selected. On Thursday the delegates will go to Chattanooga as the guests of the Owls of that city.

John W. Talbot, of South Bend, Ind., is the supreme president of the order, and George D. Berth, also of the Hoosier city, is the supreme secretary.

RIVERS GOING DOWN

In Kansas City Report That Rise Is Over.

Kansas City, June 16.—According to the local weather office, the flood of 1908 has become history. Both the Kaw and the Missouri rivers are falling, and it is expected that less than a week will be necessary to allow the waters to return to their normal condition.

The Missouri river registered 30 feet at 7 o'clock this morning, and the Kaw only reached 28.9. In the former there was a fall of three inches during the night, and the measurements of the Kaw was seven inches below the mark reached at 7 o'clock Monday evening.

Railroad conditions are but very little improved.

More Pains in Kansas.

Topeka, Kas., June 16.—Night showers fell over the greater portion of Kansas early today, but the Kaw river is falling from Topeka west. The registration is 19 feet this morning, while North Topeka is practically out from the water again. A cold drizzling rain was falling at 10 o'clock.

No Fall at Omaha.

Omaha, Neb., June 16.—There has been no fall in the Missouri river at this point for the past twenty-four hours. The gauge stood at 18.3 feet this morning.

Mrs. Press to Entertain.

Mrs. O. Press will entertain the members and friends of the Ladies' Aid society of the German Evangelical church tomorrow afternoon at the parsonage, 416 West Fourth street.

THE M. W. OF A. MEETING

FIFTEENTH SESSION OF HEAD CAMP DOING BUSINESS AT PEORIA, ILL.

WANT A READJUSTMENT OF RATES

Ten Plans Are Suggested, but Another Meeting May Be Held This Year to Dispose of the Mooted Question.

Peoria, Ill., June 16.—An unequivocal stand for a readjustment of the rates is taken by Head Clerk C. W. Hawes, of the Modern Woodmen of America in his report presented at the fifteenth head camp session of the order, convened here at 9 o'clock this morning.

Ten possible plans are suggested, and it is expected that before the head camp adjourns, next Saturday, arrangements will be made to hold another session within the year, to be devoted exclusively to the rate question.

The session was called to order this morning by Head Consul A. R. Talbot, the president of the society. There are 634 delegates and head officers, representing all parts of the country, sitting in the convention.

On Thursday a big parade will be held which is expected to attract 50,000 visitors.

The national encampment of the degree teams is also in session here, with 5,000 Foresters in attendance.

According to the report of Head Clerk Hawes, submitted today, the present membership is 920,179, with 12,099 local lodges. The insurance in force aggregates \$1,430,688,000. The benefit fund receipts during the past term, 1905-1907, were \$24,786,885.53, and disbursements \$21,798,367.38. General fund receipts were \$2,908,509.02, and disbursements \$2,765,619.93.

The report shows that during the society's existence its death have totaled 36,406, the death rate at all ages being 5.02 per 1,000. This is very favorable, as the National Fraternal congress shows a death rate of 7.51, and the American experience table a rate of 10.24 per 1,000.

At the society's present rates, with twelve assessments per year, the members at all ages are paying for an average of only \$390 of each \$1,000 in force. It is this condition of affairs that calls for a rate readjustment.

Head Consul A. R. Talbot's report, also presented today, recommends the establishment of a sanitarium for tuberculosis, a site for this purpose having already been secured at Colorado Springs, Col. The members of the order are reported as having already contributed \$50,666 for this purpose.

A thorough consideration of the rate question is also urged by Head Consul Talbot, who predicts that legislation in various states within the next few years will render it imperative that all fraternal orders shall readjust their rates. During the last two years the order has admitted 355,601 new members and has paid 12,504 death claims, aggregating \$21,785,578.58.

DESERTS TAFT FOR FORAKER

Instructed Ohio Delegate to Disregard Constituents' Order.

Chicago, June 16.—Zane W. Burley, instructed Taft delegate from the Eleventh Ohio district, caused a sensation here last night by announcing that he will vote for Foraker.

"After looking into the situation here," said Mr. Burley, "I am convinced that Mr. Taft cannot be elected. I do not think he can carry Ohio. Therefore I feel justified in ignoring my instructions."

Burley comes from Crooksville, O. His colleague, Clinton L. Poston, will vote for Taft, and strongly disapproves the course which Burley intends to pursue.

SAYS TO USE DYNAMITE

University Head Urges Blind Tigers' Destruction.

Little Rock, Ark., June 16.—President J. N. Tillman, of the University of Arkansas, in his address at the Chautauques in this state, advocates nation-wide prohibition and the destruction of blind tigers by the use of dynamite, if necessary.

"Get local prohibition if you can

do no more," he says, "and then get county, then state, then nation-wide prohibition. I don't want a saloon or blind tiger next to my home, and I am not going to have one there. I have as much respect for law as any man, but I think I have the right under the common law to abate an indisputable nuisance, and if nothing else will suffice it can be abated by the open, notorious and orderly use of dynamite."

Before his election as president of the Arkansas university Mr. Tillman was prosecuting attorney of the Fourth judicial circuit and afterwards judge of the district court.

Peace Disturber Fined.

M. Aldridge, a peace disturber, was fined \$1 and costs by Judge Rickman today.

DEATH OF THE DEPOT PET

"TOM," THE BAGGAGE ROOM CAT, PASSED IN HIS CHECKS THIS MORNING.

ATTENDED BY "DR." JOHN WRIGHT

Even His Skill Could Not Save the Feline—"Johnnie" Kuhn, Ernest Beyeler and "Shorty" Burress Chief Mourners.

"Tom," for eighteen years a conspicuous figure at both day and night trains at the Missouri Pacific station, died very suddenly this morning. There was weeping and wailing and gnashing of teeth when the announcement of Tom's sad demise was sent through the offices.

Several days ago Tom developed a case of mange. John Wright, the feline's faithful custodian, in hope of prolonging the cat's life, administered a solution of "dope," which had a disastrous effect on him.

The cat died while surrounded by the depot attaches, and as soon as the animal passed in its checks E. J. Beyeler, J. F. Kuhn, "Shorty" Burress and other prominent figures at the depot hurried to make arrangements for the funeral.

A grave was dug in the Missouri Pacific lot, west of the ladies' waiting room. John Wright acted as sexton. Messrs. Beyeler and Kuhn, after preparing the carcass for interment, placed it in a coffin and solemnly and slowly the funeral party proceeded to the burial lot.

Unostentatiously the coffin was lowered and Tom was laid to rest.

Tom was born and raised in the Missouri Pacific baggage room. Day in and day out, year in and year out, the faithful feline stood guard at its birthplace, and was the pride of every office attaché, hence the news of the death was received with sorrow.

ACTRESS LOSES HUSBAND

Applies to Sedalia Police to Assist in Finding Him.

Mrs. James A. Strole, an actress, whose maiden name was Gladys Palmer, of Milwaukee, Wis., applied at police headquarters today for assistance in finding her husband, a street car conductor, who deserted her, almost penniless, some two weeks ago.

Later, a warrant, charging wife desertion, was issued from Judge Rickman's court and placed in the hands of the constabulary, but so far Strole had not been located.

Mrs. Strole is small in stature, 24 years old, and married Strole at Kansas City two years ago. She has been a member of the Morgan Stock company, which has been playing in the northern states, but resigned, owing to ill health.

She returned to Kansas City, then came to Sedalia, still later returning to the Kaw river city. Two weeks ago Strole came to Sedalia, where his parents live. Since then his wife has heard nothing from him.

Mrs. Strole arrived in town last night and is stopping at the Antlers hotel. Early this morning she visited the home of Strole's parents, 1712 South Meniteau avenue, but alleges she was so harshly treated by Strole's mother that she did not ask for Strole.

Mrs. Strole returned to the hotel and later visited police headquarters, but so far the authorities have failed to locate the missing man.

PERJURY IS THE CHARGE

AGAINST DR. WAKEFIELD, PROMINENT PHYSICIAN OF LOVELAND, O.

RESULTS FROM SUIT FOR DAMAGES

He Attended Mrs. Lillian Rosenfels, Who Was Injured in a Wreck on the B. and O. Railway in Year 1906.

Cincinnati, O., June 16.—Only those most vitally interested know that Dr. D. J. Wakefield, a prominent physician of Loveland and of high social standing, was arrested over a week ago on a warrant charging him with perjury.

The warrant was sworn out by H. E. Rosenfels, chief clerk of the Western freight department of the Chesapeake and Ohio railroad. The case was set for trial last Saturday before Mayor Payne, but was continued until July.

The warrant grew out of a suit instituted by Lillian Rosenfels, wife of H. E. Rosenfels, against the Baltimore and Ohio railroad for \$34,000 for personal injuries claimed to have been sustained in a wreck in August, 1906, at which time Dr. Wakefield was called in to attend her.

At the trial of the case last February a judgment was awarded Mrs. Rosenfels for \$10,000, but this was afterward set aside on the ground that one of the jurors had been approached the night before the trial by the plaintiffs in the case. The matter at that time created considerable discussion and since then much ill feeling has been stirred up in the township.

Pending another trial of the case there has been much talk among those interested, which culminated in the arrest of Dr. Wakefield for perjury. Rosenfels claiming that the physician told untruths while testifying during the trial of the case.

In regard to the matter yesterday Dr. Wakefield admitted that he had been arrested for perjury in connection with the case and said it was done because his testimony was not strong enough relative to the injuries received by Mrs. Rosenfels to suit the plaintiff. "She made the statement to me," said Dr. Wakefield, "that she was injured about the chest. But during the trial she claimed to have suffered pelvic injuries. She said nothing to me regarding this, so naturally I said nothing about it to the jury."

Mr. Rosenfels says there is much in connection with the case yet to be made public, which will be a matter of much interest when he gives it out.

A LIGHT HOUSE MYSTERY

The Keeper Is Missing and Assistant Was Murdered.

Munsing, Mich., June 16.—George Genery, keeper of the North Light on Grand Island, is missing, and his assistant, whose name cannot be learned is dead, his head beaten to a pulp.

Intense excitement prevails and officers have gone from Munsing to search for Genery and unravel the mystery, if possible.

WAS WRECKED BY DYNAMITE

Boy's Establishment in Oklahoma Totally Demolished.

Tulsa, Ok., June 16.—A business building occupied as a confectionary store by Blair Rose, at Red Fork, four miles west of here, was totally wrecked by dynamite last night. At least five sticks of the explosive were used. It is believed the work was done by enemies of Rose, who is but a boy. Citizens of the town will again put him in business.

MEAT PRICES ADVANCED

Packers' Threatened Campaign Goes Through as Scheduled.

Chicago, June 16.—Meat prices in Chicago went soaring yesterday. The packers had promised or threatened to begin another campaign of high prices yesterday, and everything went through as scheduled.

Here are some of the advances: Beef, half cent a pound; lamb, 1 cent a pound; pork loins, 2 cents a pound.

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Be More Rain Tonight.

Showers tonight and Wednesday.
Slowly rising temperature.

CLARK HOWELL FOR VICE PRESIDENT.

While democracy is looking around for just the right man as a running mate for Mr. Bryan, it might not be out of place to call attention to the eminent fitness and availability of Hon. Clark Howell, of Georgia, the brilliant and sagacious editor of the Atlanta Constitution, the south's greatest newspaper.

Mr. Howell has demonstrated his equipment for high political place by a career of success as bright, probably, as has ever been achieved by any young man in the United States.

Still in the early forties, he has since first reaching man's estate been the doer of big things. Called by the untimely death of the lamented Grady to the editorship of the Constitution at an age when most young men are just beginning journalism, he assumed the responsibility with energy and courage, and although hampered by the greatness of his predecessor, and compelled by that greatness to reach high ideals, did so quickly and modestly, and while never disparaging the name and fame of Grady, advanced his paper with the growth of the city and state to heights never dreamed of in the early days of its existence.

While doing this work he found time to represent his city in the legislature, serving as speaker of the house and president of the senate several terms.

Since 1892 Mr. Howell has been national committeeman from Georgia, and his counsel and advice has been of great value to the party in all the campaigns since then. He is a brilliant orator, one of the most brilliant, perhaps, in the south today, and his personal fortune is large enough to permit him to make the race and fill the position with the dignity that should go with so exalted a place. The south deserves recognition at this time, with Bryan from the west, and it really

seems as if Mr. Howell is by far the man of all others to select.

THE PLATFORM NEXT.

The principal duty of the republican convention which remains to be disposed of is the adoption of the platform. The nomination of Taft on the first ballot is now a certainty. It is possible, though not at this time apparent, that all other candidates may withdraw and the nomination be made by acclamation. The one thing that stands in the way of such a program is the personal dislike of and hostility to Secretary Taft by the so-called allies. Their opposition has the earmarks of resentment and enmity, forces which have served to keep it alive in the face of a hopeless defeat to a far greater extent than delusions of securing the nomination any of them may possess.

This fact, that the presidential contest is a radical party difference and not an amicable rivalry among candidates of agreed policy, may be expected to reflect itself strongest when it comes to the wording of the platform. The influence of Roosevelt has won the fight for Taft, but it is a question how much it will be felt in drawing up the resolutions.

There are any number of "unwilling Taft delegates," bound by instructions, who were forced to accept the command from the White House or smother their ambition to attend the national convention. When these delegates have cast their votes for Taft the price is paid. The choice of members of the resolutions committee is a privilege apt to be exercised in line with their personal views.

Already there is a keen fight on over the personnel of the resolutions committee. The "allies" want an ultra-conservative, reactionary, stand-pat platform, while the Taft cohorts will be compelled by Roosevelt to demand planks, which from the normal republican standpoint will be quite radical. The administration may be defeated on this issue. There is little doubt that a majority of the politicians who are now in Chicago are at heart stand-patters. They represent about the same sentiment as prevailed in the last session of congress, and that was distinctly stand-pat.

Can the "big stick" dictate to them the platform as well as the nomination?

That raise of 3 cents a pound or meat will enable the packers to meet their flood losses with equanimity. Verily, the people pay the bills.

They Were Married on Sunday.

A very quiet wedding was held yesterday afternoon in the parlors of the Richardson hotel, in which Mrs. Alice Richardson, of Clinton, was united in marriage to Oscar M. Haynes, of Sedalia, says Monday's Clinton Democrat.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. R. Burchfield, of the Presbyterian church. About forty relatives and immediate friends of the family were present, filling both of the parlors.

Mr. and Mrs. Haynes left last night for a visit in Kansas City and Excelsior Springs. The best wishes of many friends will be warmly extended.

If You Knew

The merits of Texas Wonder, you would never suffer from kidney, bladder or rheumatic trouble. \$1 bottle two months' treatment. Sold by W. E. Bard Drug Co. Testimonials with each bottle.

Minnesota Lumber Manufacturers.
Minneapolis, Minn., June 16.—Organizations of lumbermen in all sections of the country have sent delegations to the convention of the National Lumber Manufacturers' association, opened here today for a session of three days.

Men's and young men's hose, black, plain or fancy, 64c per pair or 4 pairs for 25c.—The Globe, 165-67 West Main.

Tennessee Democratic Convention.

Nashville, Tenn., June 16.—Tennessee democrats will meet in state convention here tomorrow to choose delegates to the Denver convention. Instruction for Bryan is apparently certain.

Iowa Eagles Are in Session

Marshalltown, Ia., June 16.—Eagles from forty-eight aeries in Iowa will take part in the elaborate program, covering three days, arranged by the Marshalltown members for the state convention of the order.

Business Room Wanted.

Store room wanted in Sedalia for legitimate business concern, with highest business references. Good location desired. Address particulars Box 245, Paris, Mo.

New Cheese

Spring, 1908, McGaw's favorite full Cream Cheese. New Waterland Brick Cheese. New genuine imported Swiss Cheese, the finest quality. It's great. Come in taste it.

FRESH ENGLISH PICKLES.

Pickles, Crosse & Blackwell pickled Walnuts, Chow Chow and Mushroom Catsup.

IRISH MACKEREL

New spring, 1908, catch; bright, fresh mackerel, 10c; 3 for.....25c

COFFEE

"Our Golden Roast" has high sounding name, but the high quality is there. Per lb.....25c

BREAKFAST BACON

Sunlight brand; lean, sweet, fine flavored bacon. Per lb.....20c

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

STATE AUDITOR

LONG—The Democrat-Sentinel is authorized to announce John O. Long, of Washington, D. C., as a candidate for state auditor, subject to the decision of the democratic primary election, August 4, 1908.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE

FAST—The Democrat-Sentinel is authorized to announce Mark A. Fast as a candidate for representative in the legislature, subject to the decision of the republican primary election, August 4, 1908.

PROSECUTING ATTORNEY

McGRUDER—The Democrat-Sentinel is authorized to announce Mark A. McGruder as a candidate for prosecuting attorney of Pettis county, subject to the decision of the democratic primary election, August 4, 1908.

LAWSON—The Democrat-Sentinel is authorized to announce C. C. Lawson as a candidate for prosecuting attorney of Pettis county, subject to the decision of the democratic primary election, August 4, 1908.

DOW—The Democrat-Sentinel is authorized to announce J. H. Dow as a candidate for the office of prosecuting attorney of Pettis county, subject to the decision of the republican primary election, August 4, 1908.

SHERIFF

CONNOR—The Democrat-Sentinel is authorized to announce J. H. Connor as a candidate for sheriff of Pettis county, subject to the decision of the democratic primary election, August 4, 1908.

HENDERSON—The Democrat-Sentinel is authorized to announce J. H. Henderson as a candidate for sheriff of Pettis county, subject to the decision of the democratic primary election, August 4, 1908.

GREER—The Democrat-Sentinel is authorized to announce E. H. Greer, of Washington township, as a candidate for sheriff of Pettis county, subject to the decision of the republican primary election, August 4, 1908.

AYERS—The Democrat-Sentinel is authorized to announce Rev. G. H. Ayers as a prohibition candidate for sheriff of Pettis county, subject to the will of the people.

FOR ASSESSOR

GORRILL—The Democrat-Sentinel is authorized to announce J. H. Gorrell as a candidate for assessor of Pettis county, subject to the decision of the democratic primary election, August 4, 1908.

HARTSHORN—The Democrat-Sentinel is authorized to announce David Hartshorn as a candidate for assessor of Pettis county, subject to the decision of the democratic primary election, August 4, 1908.

TREASURER

WARE—The Democrat-Sentinel is authorized to announce L. W. Ware as a candidate for treasurer of Pettis county, subject to the decision of the democratic primary election, August 4, 1908.

FOR CONSTABLE

GORDON—The Democrat-Sentinel is authorized to announce Thomas Gordon as a candidate for constable of Sedalia township, subject to the decision of the democratic primary election, August 4, 1908.

FOR COUNTY JUDGE

KNOX—The Democrat-Sentinel is authorized to announce Charles W. Knox, of Smithton, as a candidate for judge of Pettis county from the Eastern district, subject to the decision of the republican primary election, August 4, 1908.

Michigan Veterans in Detroit.

Detroit, Mich., June 16.—National Commander in Chief Charles G. Burton, of the Grand Army, and National President Kate E. Jones, of the Woman's Relief Corps, will be the guests of the Michigan veterans during the encampment opened here today.

How to Cure a Bilious Attack.

A bilious attack is caused by the fermentation of food in the stomach. A dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets will clean out the stomach, reduce the irritation and inflammation of the stomach, which is the cause of the severe headache, strengthen and invigorate the stomach and restore it to a healthy condition. Try them. You are certain to be pleased with the prompt cure which they effect. For sale by W. E. Bard Drug Co.

Auto Races Tomorrow in Boston.

Boston, June 16.—A great automobile racing meet will be held tomorrow at Readville track as a feature of the Bunker Hill day celebration.

MISS DAVIDSON IS HELD

FIRST DEGREE MURDER CHARGED AND BOND FIXED AT \$5,000.00.

NOW IN CUSTODY OF THE SHERIFF

May Furnish Bond Today—Details of Ramsour Killing Told at Neosho Hearing—Sister Found in a Convent.

Neosho, Mo., June 16.—Miss "Johnny" Davidson, 18 years old, late last afternoon was bound over to the circuit court on the charge of murder in the first degree, of Roy Ramsour, discarded suitor of her 23-year-old sister, Grace.

After the preliminary hearing Justice of the Peace David Bales fixed bail at \$5,000, which probably will be furnished today.

Miss Davidson was in the sheriff's custody last night. Almost simultaneously with the justice's decision, advices from Joplin, Mo., eighteen miles north, stated that the officers had succeeded in finding Miss Grace Davidson, after a search of six days.

Miss Grace, also one of the four heiresses to the \$200,000 estate of their grandfather, William Davidson, a pioneer banker of Louisville, Ky., was found in a convent, where, last Tuesday night she sought refuge under the immediate care of the mother superior, to whom she became attached two years ago while attending the Catholic institution. Miss Grace disappeared from her home after dark Tuesday, three days following the tragedy which cost the life of a scion of one of the pioneer families of Newton county.

Witnesses subpoenaed by the state testified that Miss Bessie Davidson, or as she is more familiarly called, "Johnny," shot when Ramsour a plume of eye-witnesses, also saw her sister's action, and watched Ramsour plunge forward, grappling with his assailant. Both fell to the ground, the man with a bullet hole in his chest and his windpipe punctured, on top.

Grace screamed, and warningly exclaimed: "Hold her, Roy, and get the revolver." The woman ran towards the struggling man and girl and seized the revolver, which, it was said, was laying near. She hurried forward, rushing into the home of G. Williams, next door, where the prosecution contends the revolver was later found on a chiffonier.

According to the testimony of state witnesses, Ramsour, intoxicated, was passing the Davidson home, accompanied by Maurice McNeal, 13 years old, of Columbus, Kan. Grace was sitting in a lawn swing. Ramsour and the boy joined her.

"Johnny," the confidant of her elder sister, resented the intrusion, upbraiding Ramsour for his inconsideration. Ramsour had always blamed "Johnny" for the estrangement with Grace, and at sight of her his anger abated. He spoke a short, ugly word. The hairless face flamed. He struck her.

She went into the house, told her mother, walked 300 yards to the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Hancock, and came back with a revolver.

"You will take that back," she said, her face white and hard, "or I shall kill you."

Twice she repeated her declaration and as many times Ramsour murmured inarticulately. Upon her third demand he said:

"You'll have to kill me then."

Seven state witnesses say "Johnny" fired the revolver she was pointing toward Ramsour and that then they grappled.

It's the happiness of the whole big world.

Its praises loud are heard:

It's made life happy, healthy and bright.

It's Rocky Mountain Tea taken at night. W. E. Bard Drug Co.

SEELE TO ENTER BUSINESS

Baseball in Pueblo Didn't Pay the Former National Leaguer.

Frank Seele, the former National league manager, who won so many pennants at Boston and started building up the present strong Chicago club, when forced to go to Colorado for his health, has about given up baseball entirely. After going west Mr. Seele took the management of the Pueblo Club, in the western league, but he had to give it up, owing to the fact that there was no money in conducting a club there.

While Frank had a chance to conduct boxing shows at Pueblo he managed to make it pay, but when he could get the opera house no longer for the bouts he decided to go to

Denver and make his home there. He has been taking an interest in the Colorado State association team at Denver, but only to help the boys along.

Frank would like to get back into the game in the big league, but the lake climate will not permit of it. He intends to try some other business in Denver and remain there permanently if possible.

Sick Headache Cured.

Sick headache is caused by derangement of the stomach. Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets will correct the disorder and effect a cure. By taking these tablets as soon as the first indications of the disease appear, the attack may be warded off. For sale by W. E. Bard.

MR. NELSON IN CHICAGO

KANSAS CITY STAR'S EDITOR NOT AT ALL SURE OF ELECTION OF TAFT.

REPUBLICANS MAY LOSE THE WEST

Mr. Bryan is Very Strong his Side of the Mississippi River—Mr. Nelson Quoted in the Chicago Evening Post.

Chicago, June 16.—What William R. Nelson, owner of the Kansas City Star, thinks and what the editorial columns of the Star say are not always one and the same thing.

Mr. Nelson is now in Chicago, giving his personal attention to the nomination of Taft and Dolliver. Here is what he says of the situation, as quoted in the Chicago Evening Post: "This is going to be a real election this fall. Bryan is a real candidate, and don't you forget it. The republicans will lose the west unless they adopt a stiff Roosevelt platform and nominate Senator Dolliver, who is a strong Roosevelt man, for vice president."

"You hear these fool New Yorkers declaring that if the second piece on the ticket doesn't go to New York, they won't be able to carry the state. That's all bosh. If what they say is true, then the fight is lost already. If Bryan is even a formidable opponent in the Empire state, then he is the dead-sea victor in the west and he can carry the country."

"But New York will take care of itself, in my judgment, and the real danger is in the west. This is the part of the country where the progressive tide is still high. If the republicans don't nominate a progressive administration ticket like Taft and Dolliver, then the people will turn to Bryan. The west is his barnyard, anyway."

THE ORDER OF FORESTERS

Delegates Representing 260,000 Members Meet in Toronto.

Toronto, Ont., June 16.—Delegates representing the 260,000 members of the Independent Order of Foresters in Canada and the United States assembled in Toronto today at the opening of the supreme court of the fraternity. Reports of the supreme officers show a gain in membership during the last year of about 11,000. Readjustment of premium rates and matters connected with the conduct of the Foresters' orphan home will be the principal subjects considered during the convention, aside from the transaction of the regular routine business.



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Until you have \$25 or \$50 to open an account. One dollar will start you—it is a small start, but a good beginning. You can add to it each week or month; you can withdraw any amount from your account, at any time, without notice. You lose interest ONLY ON THE AMOUNT YOU WITHDRAW. Money deposited in our Savings Department is working for you day and night—earning 3 per cent compound interest. Suppose you deposit that first dollar TODAY.

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Summer Shoes For Children

Barefoot Sandals.

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All Styles—All Prices.

Wm. Courtney.

Mississippi in Line for Mr. Bryan.

Jackson, Miss., June 16.—John Sharp Williams, Governor Noel, ex-Governor Vardaman and Senator Kiren will probably be named as delegates at large to Denver at tomorrow's state convention. All favor instructions for Bryan.

Whooping Cough.

"In February our daughter had the whooping cough. Mr. Lane, of Hartland, recommended Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and said it gave his customers the best of satisfaction. We found it as he said, and can recommend it to anyone having children troubled with whooping cough," says Mrs. A. Goss, of Durand, Mich. For sale by W. E. Bard Drug Co.

Oregon Is Certain for Bryan.

Portland, Ore., June 16.—Oregon's eight delegates to the democratic national convention will be chosen today and will be pledged to the support of Bryan.

Convention of Danish Americans.

Minneapolis, Minn., June 16.—Panes from all over the United States and Canada are in Minneapolis today, in attendance at the convention of the Associated Danish Societies of America.

TEXAS CHAUTAUQUA "BROKE"

Effort Will Be Made to Transfer Circuit Bookings.

Dallas, Texas, June 16.—The Texas Chautauqua circuit, embracing a dozen of the principal cities of Texas, with headquarters at Dallas, is hopelessly insolvent and bankruptcy papers will be filed in the federal court tomorrow.

An effort will be made to get some other concern to take over the contracts.

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Ladies' Waists of daintiest lawns and beautiful patterns, tastefully trimmed; in all sizes; a very special value at the price. we ask—\$1. Why worry over making a waist when you can get this kind at..... **\$1**

White Goods of sheerest texture, in dainty checks, plaids, and stripes; very much in demand for dresses and waists. We can sell you your white dress from 10c to 50c per yard and on up higher.

Did you know that our 10c Gingham are equal to the 12 1/2c grade sold elsewhere?

We sell all Calico at 5c.

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SECOND AND OSAGE.

GOVERNOR PINDALL LOSES

Supreme Court Says He Cannot Remove Men From Board.

Little Rock, Ark., June 16.—The state supreme court yesterday sustained the decision of Judge E. W. Winfield, of the Pulaski circuit court, that the governor cannot summarily dismiss members of state boards appointed for two years.

Thus ends the fight by Governor Pindall, who attempted to remove three members of the board of charities because, it was alleged, they would not support his candidate for superintendent of the blind school.

SIGN POSTAL AGREEMENT

Postmaster General Meyer and Ambassador Jusserand.

Washington, June 16.—A parcels post agreement between the United States and France was signed yesterday by Postmaster General Meyer and Ambassador Jusserand, of France.

PILES! PILES! PILES!

Williams' Indian Pile Ointment will cure Blind, Bleeding and Itching Piles. It absorbs the tumors, always itching at once, acts as a poultice, gives instant relief. Williams' Indian Pile Ointment is prepared for Piles and Itching of the private parts. Sold by druggists, mail 50c and \$1.00. Williams Mfg. Co., Props., Cleveland, O. For sale by W. E. Bard Drug Co.

Mr. Wu to Talk in Iowa.

Iowa City, Ia., June 16.—Wu Ting Fang, Chinese minister at Washington, will deliver the commencement address to the graduating class of the state university of Iowa tomorrow.

Chickens Won't Thrive Where Lice Abound.

You can't raise chicks and lice, profitably, in the same poultry house. If you don't destroy the vermin, they will annihilate your profits. There are many ways this can be accomplished, but the quick, safe, sure and economical method is by using

Lee's Lice Killer

(A LIQUID)

You just paint or spray the roosts and walls—that's all. No handling, dusting, dipping or greasing. Easy to use, economical, effective; the best that can be obtained at any price. It kills both by vapor and contact and is just as effective in one locality as another. We have it in quart, 35c; half gallons, 60c; gallons, \$1.00.

Dan Wilcox,

Druggist,
W. MAIN STREET

FRANK GOTCH IS AT HOME

HUMBOLDT, IOWA, SPREADING IT OVER CHAMPION WRESTLER.

PUT HIS HOME TOWN ON THE MAP

The Man Who Easily Defeated the "Russian Lion" When the Odds in Sporting Circles Were Two to One Against Him.

Humboldt, Ia., June 16.—Perhaps to a portion of the outside world the town of Humboldt has seemingly gone crazy over honoring its world-famed wrestler, Frank A. Gotch. And perhaps to many, this belief was fully corroborated beyond the shadow of a doubt when this city gave up a whole day last week for the purpose of giving Frank a rousing reception upon his arrival in the home town, after his match with Hackenschmidt.

It remained for Gotch to put Humboldt on the world's map. It was already firmly anchored on Iowa's before he began doing things. The big world outside the region of Humboldt knows Gotch only secondhand, through the newspapers. Humboldt citizens know and are known by Frank by way of the first name.

Most of Gotch's friends in Humboldt (only limited by the town's 2,000 inhabitants) have watched his development from a mere ambitious country boy, endowed with a fair physical makeup, through the long tiring grind of a wrestler's apprenticeship. They can remember away back in 1899 when he wrestled and won his first real bout, and of his famous match with Dan McLeod.

It was science and speed against strength and speed and the former won. Gotch went down after an hour of grueling, but he never cried enough. Dan was thunderstruck at the boy's work and when he saw "Farmer" Burns shortly after he told him to "look out for that young Dutchman near Humboldt, when you go through Iowa."

Farmer Burns did keep his eyes open. He met Gotch, defeated him and then took his find home with him for training. Gotch was an apt student. But the story of his career is too long to follow in detail. Suffice it to say that during his nine years of work he has lost only five matches out of the thousand and more he has had.

Two to McLeod and Burns in 1899; one practically taken from him by Jenkins in Cleveland, 1905, and another to Jenkins in 1905, when out of condition, and a fifth to Frea Beel in New Orleans in 1906, when Gotch was knocked out by an accidental blow on the head.

Gotch is to be in Humboldt only a few days more when he leaves to fulfill other engagements. A trip to Europe, going on the stage, a match with Doc Rollet, possible matches with some of the foreign wrestlers, a good summer vacation here at home, with a good hunting trip this fall are a few of the things occupying Frank's attention at present.

IS DENIED HABEAS CORPUS

Patrick Bares Application on Commutation of His Sentence.

New York, June 16.—Judge LaCombe, of the United States circuit court, denied yesterday the application of Albert T. Patrick, the condemned murderer of Wm. Marsh Rice, for a writ of habeas corpus.

It is understood that the grounds advanced by Patrick on which the application was based was the commutation of his sentence from death to life imprisonment.

MANILA ITEMS.

Manila, Mo., June 15. Add Cordry is numbered among the sick this week.

Miss Freada Eno spent Friday evening with Miss Media Jordan.

Miss Zulu Gaiter, of near Sedalia,

is visiting her niece, Miss Stella Stevenson, this week.

Mrs. Mary Durrill, Mrs. R. M. Whippis and Mrs. Ella Jordan called on Mrs. W. B. Atwood Friday evening.

Mr. T. J. Jordan and son, Lester, were callers in Green Ridge Monday. Misses Alta Blades, Ruth Floyd and Bessie Heffner, of Green Ridge, attended the Children's day exercises at this place.

Miss Nella Funk spent Wednesday night and Thursday with Miss Dinela Bethards.

Misses Edna and Alta Durrill took supper with Misses Geneva and Media Jordan Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Loring Thounvernel, of near Stover, are visiting the latter's father, Fred Pittman.

The children's exercises at this place were well attended, and all reported a good time.

Several from this part attended the Children's day exercises at Ionia Sunday night.

MR. BOTHWELL IN CHICAGO

Asked About Injunction Plank in Republican Platform.

Chicago, Ill., June 16.—John H. Bothwell, vice chairman of the Missouri republican state committee was asked about the injunction plank in the platform.

He declared there were many who believed there should be a declaration favoring legislation limiting the powers of the courts in injunction cases relating to labor conflicts.

There are republicans who oppose any declaration that would be at variance with the attitude of the present congress, or which would interfere with the power or change the practices in such matters.

The committee will likely settle the issue, but it is possible there might be such a conflict in ideas in the committee as to result in a minority report to be passed upon by the convention.

OFFICIAL SHORT \$60,000

Treasurer Declares He Is Ready for Punishment.

Bloomington, Ind., June 16.—Developments last night prove that City Treasurer Axtell is \$60,000 short. No one seems to know what has become of the money, and he himself does not even attempt to explain it.

He said he realized the position he was in and that he could not make up the money now due the city and was willing to take his punishment.

His wife has given up valuable personal property, including her wedding presents. Axtell is a member of the Presbyterian church, thirty-second degree Mason and treasurer of the Indiana Oratorical association.

Prosecuting Attorney Fletcher says he will not overlook any of the charges against Mr. Axtell and that he will insist upon an indictment.

ROBBER CHLOROFORMS FIVE

Head of Family Awakes in Time to Prevent Death.

Wabash, Ind., June 16.—Awakened by odor of chloroform, William Neeley discovered five members of his family unconscious from the drug, and, arming himself, discovered a man who had broken into the house and apparently was waiting to rob the residence.

The man escaped and members of the family were resuscitated. Posses have been unable to find the man.

KEMPER CAUGHT IN CHICAGO

Gives 12,500 Bond to Answer Land Fraud Charges.

Chicago, June 16.—Arthur H. Kemper, under indictment in the Southern district of California on a charge of defrauding the government in land deals, was arrested here yesterday and put under bonds of \$2,500 to insure his appearance at the July term of the Federal court in Los Angeles. Kemper was on a vacation trip when arrested.

LOST HAIR RESTORED

Or money refunded (women only). Superfluous hair and other blemishes permanently removed. Corns, ingrown nails, etc., treated. Shampooing and massage, switches and other hair goods. L. C. Snell, dermatologist, 122 West Third street.

Tar Heel Bankers in Session.

Morehead, N. C., June 16.—North Carolina financial institutions are fully represented at the convention of the State Bankers association, opened here today.

BUSINESS OR DRESS SUITS; SUMMER SUITINGS. — LOEWER, TAILOR.

Don't Forget to Ask Your Grocer For



Panama—In red paper bags, lb..... **20c**
Amazon—In yellow paper bags, lb..... **25c**
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Oriental—In white paper bags, lb..... **35c**

Beiler Grocer Co.

"NEAR BEER" CAN NOT BE SOLD

Ruling Is Against Its Sale in Local Option Territory.

Chillicothe, Mo., June 16.—In a ruling last afternoon to prosecuting attorney E. C. Orr, the attorney general holds that drinks having 2 per cent alcohol cannot be sold in local option towns or counties in Missouri. Since local option became effective in Chillicothe, a former saloon keeper put on sale a manufactured drink that contained a very small quantity of alcohol, one-half of 1 per cent.

An internal revenue officer informed the dealer that he would be within the law to sell any drink containing alcohol up to 2 per cent. The prosecuting attorney held otherwise and the ruling of the attorney general sustains his contention to the contrary.

HERE'S A REMEDY

That will restore your appetite, aid digestion, and prevent any distress, such as Belching, Bloating, Heartburn and Headache. We refer to Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. For 54 years it has been proving its merit and since we guarantee it pure you ought to try it today.

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Will also cure and prevent Poor Appetite, Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Liver and Kidney Troubles and Female Ills.



When you send us your grocery order, you will be wise to include a jar of Beech-Nut Brand Sliced Beef, a delicious smoked meat, sliced in thin, dainty slices, and ready for instant use. Packed in the famous Beech-Nut vacuum glass jars, without any kind of preservative whatever, useful in preparing many breakfast and luncheon dishes.

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WIFE'S DREAM WAS TRUE

WROTE A LETTER BEGGING HUSBAND TO RETURN HOME IMMEDIATELY.

BUT THE WARNING WAS NOT HEEDED

Missive Found on Body of A. C. Gregg, Who Had Been Lured to the Hills—Suspect Has Been Arrested.

Chattanooga, Tenn., June 16.—A letter found upon the body of A. C. Gregg, of Mount Vernon, Tenn., a traveling salesman who was murdered and his body hidden in a lonely spot in the hills discloses the fact that his wife had actually forecasted in a dream two weeks previous to his death the fate that awaited him, and warned him that he would be enticed to a remote place and shot to death. The letter begged him to return home to her.

There was also a postscript from his little daughter, Mary, begging him to prepare to die, warning him that her mother had dreamed he would be killed.

The letter from the woman relates that on the night previous she had seen him decoyed to a spot on the side of a creek, which she described, and there shot and killed by a man who disposed of the body by throwing it into the water.

The woman asserted that the scene had been depicted to her so clearly that she was certain she could identify the murderer, if his death occurred according to her dream.

When Mrs. Gregg arrived in Chattanooga to attend the funeral of her husband she was asked about her remarkable vision by the officers, who had recovered the letter. She again related the circumstance of her dream, describing the murder as she had seen it.

The surroundings were identical with those in which the body of Gregg had been found. Her description of the murderer tallied with the description of Lon Hatfield, whom the officers had placed under arrest, charged with the murder of Gregg, circumstantial evidence having pointed to him as the guilty man. Mrs. Gregg at that time had never seen Hatfield. The officers decided to put her to a further test.

Placing Hatfield, dressed as he was when captured, inconspicuously among a dozen other men, Mrs. Gregg was brought into the room and asked to pick out the man whom she had seen in her dream. Mrs. Gregg scanned the assemblage of men before her carefully, and, without hesitation, pointed her finger at Hatfield and related again the incidents of her dream in the presence of Hatfield, who was visibly affected by the recital.

Mrs. Gregg says that practically all the important incidents of her life have been disclosed to her in dreams previous to their occurrence. She has come to place great faith in her visions.

Independent of the disclosures of the woman, the officers have been working steadily on the case. They have succeeded in collecting together a chain of circumstantial evidence which will not only implicate Hatfield, but others. Hattie James, a girl of 20, and almost as pretty as Mrs. Gregg herself, has already been arrested for complicity after the fact.

Suspicion pointed to the James woman after the officers had succeeded in weaving the chain of evidence around Hatfield. A presumably unimportant clue led them to the house in which the girl resided.

When asked if she knew the dead man she answered that she knew him well enough; that she was engaged to be married to him, the wedding to have taken place within a few weeks.

A search of the premises resulted in the finding of a paper bag in the young woman's trunk in which was a collar covered with mud with the name of the accused on the inside, a vest on which there were blood spots and a bloody tie.

HORSES BOUGHT AND SOLD

HIGHEST MARKET PRICES PAID AT ALL TIMES. CALL AT 113 SOUTH KENTUCKY AVENUE.—ROBERT BIGGS.

Lady Undertakers Among Delegates.

Atlanta, Ga., June 16.—Five feminine undertakers are among the members of the Georgia Funeral Directors association, which convened in annual session today.

A Day in the Country.

Twenty-five members of the Ladies' Missionary society of the Broadway Presbyterian church went to Beaman

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\$1.00 children's shoes and oxfords for..... **49c**
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\$1.75 men's, ladies' and boys' shoes and oxfords, tan or black, for..... **1.29**
\$2.00 men's, ladies' and boys' shoes and oxfords, tan or black, for..... **1.48**
\$2.50 men's, ladies' and boys' shoes and oxfords, tan or black, for..... **1.69**
\$3.00 men's and ladies' shoes and oxfords, tan or black, for..... **1.98**
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12 1/2c black, tan and fancy hose this week, pair—**6 1/4c**
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If you cannot call write us and we will take the matter up with you. Railroad fares refunded, in full to out-of-town buyers. Old instruments taken in exchange as part payment for new.

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A PASTOR SEEKS HEALTH

REV. MATT S. HUGHES TO LEAVE INDEPENDENCE AVENUE M. E. CHURCH.

GOING TO PASADENA, CALIFORNIA

Has Done a Splendid Work in Kansas City, But Believes That a Change of Climate Will Prove Beneficial.

Kansas City, Mo., June 16.—The Rev. Matt S. Hughes, pastor of the Independence avenue Methodist Episcopal church, has tendered his resignation to the church board to accept a call to the First M. E. church, of Pasadena, Cal., in October.

The announcement was a surprise to the congregation of which the Rev. Mr. Hughes has been pastor for ten years. At this time it is not known who will be called to fill the vacancy. The trustees will seek a new pastor at once.

When the Rev. Mr. Hughes took charge of the Independence avenue church there were but \$50 members and a debt of \$50.000.

Since then, however, the membership has been increased to 1,400, and the debt has been paid off. Ill health is said to have prompted the change.

MEN AND COW ELECTROGUTED

Student and Engineer Touch Charged Wire Fence at University.

Lawrence, Kas., June 16.—J. F. Hall, superintendent of construction of the engineering building at the University of Kansas, and Dan Matthews, student, were electrocuted by live wires at the university shortly after noon yesterday.

A wire furnishing power for the tools used in the construction of the building was accidentally wounded by a guy wire. A cow walked against the guy wire and was killed. Matthews, who went through the wire fence to investigate, touched the guy wire and was killed.

Hall went to recover the body, broke the live guy wire with a club, and started back through the wire fence.

When he touched the fence wire he was electrocuted. A swinging end of the guy wire had fallen across the fence.

Hall was prominent in business and church work here. Matthews was a sophomore engineering student and intended to go home today.

A Young Couple Drowned.

Kansas City, Mo., June 16.—While boating on the Blue river in Sheffield yesterday afternoon, Alfred G. Buchanan and Miss Nita Ewin, both of Independence, were drowned. The canoe in which they were rowing caught a snag and turned turtle.

Catholic Carnival Tonight.

The three days' carnival at Sacred Heart hall, conducted by the ladies of the parish, opens tonight. It will also be open Wednesday and Thursday afternoons, after 3 o'clock.

Postponement of Elks' Meet.

Augusta, Ga., June 16.—The state convention of Elks, set for today, has been indefinitely postponed. A meeting of the state officers will be held in Macon on Friday.

Texas Druggists at Galveston.

Galveston, Texas, June 15.—The Texas Pharmaceutical association convened here today for a session of three days. Hundreds of druggists are present.

After the Finny Tribe.

C. H. Daniels, "the man of the hour," Louis Quigley, George Hoffman and J. H. Bower left this morning for a short fishing visit at a point eight miles from this city.

Germany to Have New Coin.

Germany will soon have a new coin of the value of a quarter mark or six cents. In order to distinguish the new piece readily from the 20-pennig coin now in use, the government has asked for designs with a perforation. The Welt Spiegel published the pictures of perforated coins which were recently made in England for circulation in an East African English colony, and a humorist in a Hamburg paper says: "Give us the coins with holes in them by all means. We can string them like beads and tie them up and hold them, a process which seems to be beyond accomplishment with the modern slippery coins and bills."

Discovered.

Puppy Dog (looking into goldfish globe)—Ha! ha! So you're some of them people what lives in glass houses. —Yale Record.

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Remember we move to our new location, 510 Ohio street, June 20, where we will have one of the most complete music stores in Central Missouri.

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505 Ohio St.**

"TIN SOLDIER" TITLE HURTS

Members Decreasing Because of Adverse Public Opinion.

Springfield, Ill., June 16.—Soldiers of the Illinois National Guard are decreasing in such great numbers that a problem is presented to the state to maintain its army corps, according to Col. W. T. Channon, commanding the Sixth regiment in camp at Camp Lincoln.

"The Illinois National Guard is not what it used to be, years ago," said Col. Channon, "when men prided themselves on belonging to the state militia. Now the reverse presents itself. Men are scarce who wish to join, because the people of Illinois do not support the National Guard. In some places they 'hoot' the members of our ranks; in others they stone us and call us names."

"The 'Tin Soldier' is the sobriquet frequently hurled at the men, whom the state is trying to develop into soldiers in order that this country may have a drilled army in case of war or insurrection."

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They Are the Best
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Let us all be friends and work together.

For we have the goods and we have the leather. We handle good shoes that are bound to last.

And your old ones we fix, as in days of the past.

In the second-hand line we have no compete.

For if they fit you'll add comfort to your feet.

So we wish to express our "Greetings" to all, And hope you'll give us another pleasant call.

**Queen City
Shoe Repairing Co.
117 SOUTH OHIO.**

CONVENTION HAS BEGUN

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ry the struggle to the floor of the convention in the event of a failure to eliminate the plank in the resolutions of the committee.

Positive statements were made today in denial of the suggestion that the administration wishes to withdraw the plank. The Taft forces claim over thirty-one votes out of the fifty members of the resolutions committee on the general proposition of the platform, but will make no claim of strength on the injunction plank itself.

To Present Roosevelt's Name.

Chicago, June 16.—The manner in which the name of President Roosevelt will be presented to the convention for renomination has not been disclosed, but that it will be presented is undisputed. Just what will be the outcome of the movement is the unending topic for conjecture and the explosive possibilities of its injection at the psychological moment is fully realized.

Close friends of Roosevelt and Taft declare themselves prepared to meet it in whatever form it arises, with convincing proofs that the president views any such attempt with a disapproval so emphatic as to leave no room for doubt or tolerance. The vice presidential situation is still full of uncertainty out of which almost any man—even some "dark horse"—may emerge at last triumphant.

Statement From White House.

Washington, June 16.—Secretary Loeb gave out a statement at the White House today as follows: "That which purports to be a so-called 'administration platform,' which was telegraphed from Chicago and published this morning, is a mere tentative draft prepared by one of the members of the resolution committee for submission to Mr. Taft, with a view of securing his views on certain planks. A large part of the draft has never been seen by the president."

Dolliver Endorses Fairbanks.

Chicago, June 16.—Senator Dolliver today telegraphed the chairman of the Iowa delegation advocating Fairbanks for the vice presidency, and if he is not available, some strong man from either New York or the Pacific coast.

The Platform.

It is definitely announced that the platform will take radical and advanced ground on the tariff, on control of the trusts, on the amending of the Sherman law, on the currency and on the question of limiting the power of injunction. It will stand squarely in other regards on the policies which have been features of the Roosevelt administration.

There are predictions in some quarters that there will be difficulty in framing the tariff plank of the platform, but that view is not entertained by the men in control of the party. They assert that the tariff plank will follow closely that adopted by the Ohio state convention and that no republican, with the possible exception of a few extreme "stand-patters," will object to that.

Two years ago Secretary Taft, addressing an audience at Bath, Me., declared himself in favor of tariff revision, and he has never swerved from that position, having reiterated his conviction on several occasions. The party leaders are too wise to stultify themselves by nominating Taft and then asking him to stand on a platform not in harmony with his well known convictions on this subject.

Taft boomers are more confident than ever of the nomination of their candidate, now that the convention is in session, and declare that only one ballot will be required.

It is believed that there will be no withdrawals of rival candidates now, although it is entirely likely that several "favorite son" delegations will change their votes before the result is announced.

Alabama Will Yield.

William H. Taft will be the first man placed in nomination before the national convention. When the roll call of the states for nominations begins Alabama will yield her place to Ohio, and Representative Burton will nominate Taft in a speech which those who know Mr. Burton's ability expect to fire the convention with enthusiasm.

Then will follow the second speeches of Senator Borah, George A. Knight, Senator Dolliver and other speakers of exceptional power and ability, and a pace will have been set which other orators will find it hard to maintain.

It is announced that Representative Burton will consume about twenty minutes in his nominating speech. This is more time than has been taken by the orators who have delivered

ed nominating addresses which have become classics.

Colonel Robert G. Ingersoll, whose speech nominating Blaine as the "glum knight," is considered the most notable in republican history, used but ten minutes, and Roscoe Conkling's famous nomination of Grant for a third term consumed but twelve minutes.

With Taft's nomination now a certainty, interest is centered in the contest for the vice presidential nomination.

Thousands of Visitors.

Thousands of visitors, in addition to the throngs which arrived yesterday, poured into the city this morning and the hotels were crowded as never before. Rooms at all the big hotels are at a premium and at the Festivities near the Coliseum it is impossible to secure accommodations at any price, unless they have been reserved long in advance.

Marching clubs and bands from all over the country paraded the streets this morning, but those of the Taft clubs outnumbered and overwhelmed all the rest.

The convention period will not be without its social features, as many notable women are here. Foremost among these is Mrs. Taft, who, since her arrival, has been veritably showered with invitations to all sorts of social affairs by the society leaders of Chicago.

Mrs. Nicholas Longworth is also a center of feminine interest, and Miss Helen Cannon has a host of devotees. Among other women here are Mrs. Beveridge, Mrs. Depew and Mrs. Foraker.

Arrangements Are Perfect.

Arrangements made by the local committee for the convention are declared to be more nearly perfect than at any previous national convention.

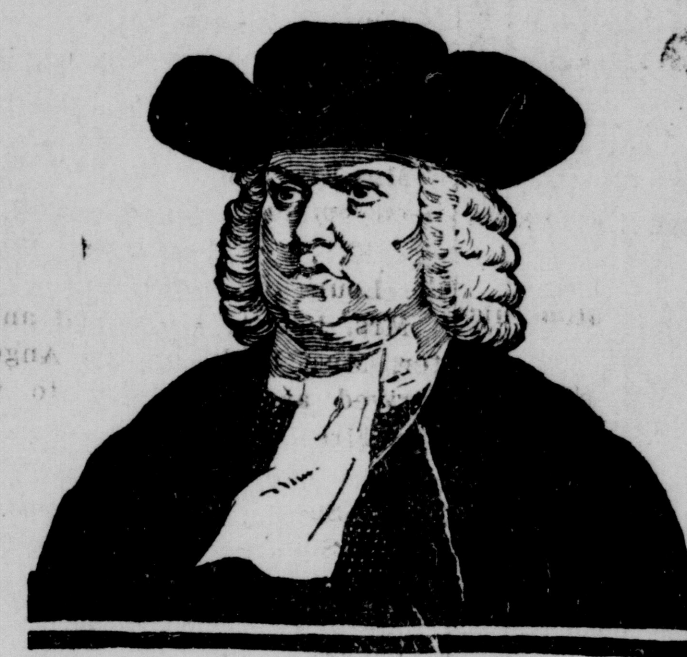
By the system of bookkeeping, every one of the 11,000 seats is accounted for and in this way a delegate or visitor may be found on an instant's notice, wholly without confusion.

Every precaution has been taken to prevent fire, and as there are twelve big exits, the building could be emptied within three minutes.

Nearly 2,500 employees are scattered throughout the hall. Of these there are 1,500 assistant sergeant-at-arms, 300 ushers, 300 pages and 200 doorkeepers.

These men work under the supervision of William H. Stone, of Baltimore, sergeant-at-arms of the republican national committee, and Postmaster David C. Owen, of Milwaukee, first assistant sergeant-at-arms.

The office of these officials is situated in the annex in the rear of the



William Penn

AMONG all the builders of this Nation none deserve more lasting gratitude than this stout old Quaker Champion.

Irish and English prisons could not conquer his spirit, and from a cell in the tower of London he conceived the idea of founding beyond the seas a state wherein Brotherly Love—Peace On Earth and Personal Liberty might become living facts. Thus Pennsylvania was founded.

When colonial governor he introduced vine-growing and brewing, and at Pennbury Manor he had a brew house.

Above middle height—well built and agile—William Penn in his early days was an expert swordsman, a courageous soldier, and a splendid athlete.

He died at 74, and the results of his life's doings bear eloquent witness that the moderate use of a good malt beer helps to create the noblest qualities of mind and soul.

His statue stands in Philadelphia, 547 feet high—for all the world to see.

*National Magazine of History—XVI, page 154.

The True William Penn, page 353.

Dictionary of National Biography—Vol. XLIV.

Eddy's Alcohol in History, pages 181, 191, 203, etc., etc.

LUPULIN

Has created a stir in the medical world because of its great Tonic properties for stomach disorders. It is found in the highest and most effective form in Saazer Hops, grown in the Province of Saaz, Bohemia.

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Tribe of Ben Hur.

Sedalia court No. 53, Tribe of Ben Hur, will meet every Wednesday evening in regular session in hall over the Sedalia Drug Co., corner Second and Ohio streets. Visiting members cordially invited.

W. E. GRIMM, Chief.
GEORGE ANAMOSA, SCRIBE.

BRYAN'S DAUGHTER AGIN' HIM

Mrs. Leavitt's Proxy Goes to Faction Opposing Instructions.

Glenwood Springs, Colo., June 16.—Ruth Bryan Leavitt, daughter of William Jennings Bryan, climbed into the Speer bandwagon at the state democratic convention here yesterday.

Mrs. Leavitt is not here, but gave her proxy to Mrs. W. S. Lafferty, of Denver, who recently renounced her allegiance to the republican party and joined the Speer democracy.

Former Senator Patterson, who is fighting for Bryan instructions, expected her proxy, which was given to his sworn enemy, Mayor Speer, who opposes instructions.

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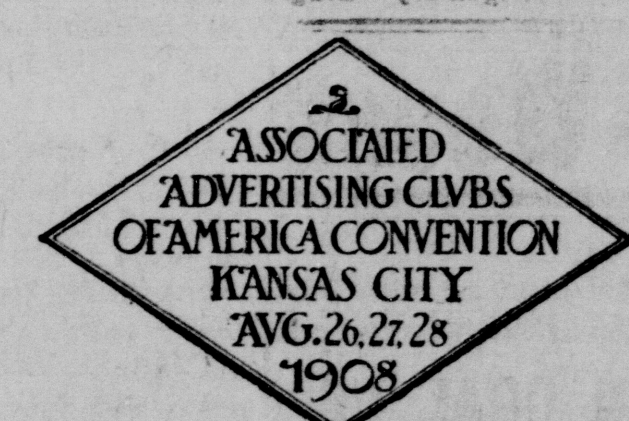
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Negroes' Home Dynamited.

Caruthersville, Mo., June 16.—A sensation was caused here yesterday when it was reported that a small house on the Gibson farm was destroyed by a dynamite explosion. The house was occupied by negroes.

Woodmen Met Monday Night.

At Monday night's meeting of Russell camp No. 2065, Modern Woodmen of America, G. M. Moore was initiated and the following transfer cards were received: Ernest Vogls, from Lexington, and Rev. J. F. Caskey, from Lamonte.

We Have Made

The physical defects in eyes a study just as we have studied the merits or defects of every lens and spectacle frame that was ever made. Such experience enables us to tell in the shortest time the sort of glass you need. Dr. Ormond, our optical expert, will give his personal attention to your care and guarantee to give perfect satisfaction.

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PERSONALS

Sherwin-Williams Faints—Arlington Pharmacy.

E. H. Hillyard went to Clinton this morning.

Walter Ballard went to Clinton on business today.

William Moss went to Cole Camp today on business.

E. L. Cooter went to Green Ridge today on business.

Sebastian Urban made a business trip to Holden today.

Earl Leftwich made a business visit to Chilhowee today.

Horace P. Knight made a business trip to Dresden today.

Miss Sara Payne is home from a pleasant visit in Fayette.

W. E. Barz went to Green Ridge this morning on business.

S. L. Nelson left this afternoon for a business visit at Denver.

T. A. Mitchell, of Lamonte, was a business visitor here today.

F. E. Hoffman left this morning for a business visit at Macon.

H. B. Harnsberger went to Clinton this morning on business.

P. Lampers, a Boonville confectionery dealer is here today visiting.

Carl Werner returned last night after a short visit in Warrensburg.

Gus M. Hodges left this afternoon for a business visit at Kansas City.

W. A. Collins went to Boonville this morning for a few hours' visit.

W. A. Latimer, H. W. Servant and Frank S. Leach are in St. Louis today.

Col. G. H. Pountain went out on the Warsaw train today on business.

J. S. Bell, a Kansas City traveling salesman, is here today on business.

James T. Montgomery went to Kansas City this morning on business.

Ralph Nordyke went out on the Warsaw line this morning on business.

J. W. Menefee returned last night from a business trip to Kansas City.

F. A. Bodinson returned last night from a business visit at Kansas City.

Albert Avansino will return this evening from a brief visit at Kansas City.

Miss Daisy Long went to Knob Noster this morning for a brief visit.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Farley and family are home from a trip through the east.

R. R. Chaffa, a Kansas City typewriter salesman, is in the city today on business.

J. R. Lee, of Lincoln, Mo., is here today visiting, and is stopping at the Huckins hotel.

E. H. Young, of Springfield, Mo., is in the city, and is stopping at the Huckins hotel.

T. D. Tucker, salesman for the Blauke office company, is here today on business.

Prosecuting Attorney H. D. Dow left yesterday for Chicago to attend the convention.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Malone went to Warrensburg this afternoon for a few hours' visit.

Will Jolly made a business trip to points on the west end of the Missouri Pacific today.

Rev. J. I. Orrison, of Kansas City, is here today, en route home from a visit at Deepwater.

Miss Corinne Grinstead is visiting her aunt, Miss Martha Berry, north of town, this week.

Mrs. Matte Zoll and son, Frank, left this morning for Murraysville, Ill., to spend the summer.

Mrs. Frank Thompson returned home to Lamonte this afternoon, after a brief visit in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Cotten, of Windsor, are here today, visiting their son, J. Crawford Cotten.

C. W. Knox, of Smithton, is in the city today, visiting and combining political business with pleasure.

W. D. Bowman came in from Boonville and points north of here on Katy train No. 3 this morning.

Mrs. Thomas Carpenter arrived from Syracuse this afternoon to visit Miss Emma Carpenter, a dressmaker.

Miss Kathryn Monroe returned to her home at Tipton on the noon train today, after visiting Miss Lou Menefee.

Rev. Takamato, of Japan, who is attending school at Fayette, was here today, on his way to Warrensburg.

Mrs. E. F. Harris and son, Francis, returned home to Albion, Ill., today, after visiting R. F. Harris and family.

H. B. Shain and family will leave tomorrow morning for a visit of several weeks in Macon and Shelby counties.

Mrs. R. F. Spencer returned home to St. Louis on the noon train today, after visiting S. E. Spencer and family.

Mrs. Preston and daughter, Miss Rama, arrived today to attend the

wedding of the former's son to Miss Maud Hunnicke.

John W. McIntosh, proprietor of the McIntosh hotel at Knob Noster, and E. F. Kendrick are visitors in the city today.

Miss Eleanor Watson, who has been employed as head hat trimmer for Mrs. A. N. Bayne, returned to St. Louis Sunday.

Mrs. Lee A. McConnell and daughter, Miss Ruth, of Los Angeles, Cal., arrived at noon today to visit Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Rodes.

Mrs. Chester W. Buck, formerly Miss Sue Jenkins, returned to St. Louis Sunday, after a visit with her parents in this city.

Miss Marie Hilliard, of St. Joseph, Mo., who has been visiting Misses Elsie and Eva Hillyard, left for her home yesterday.

Miss Pearl Hendrick, of Pilot Grove, and Miss Robna Rankin, of Boonville, were in the city today, on their way to Kansas City.

Mrs. S. J. Duncan left this afternoon for her home at Alton, Ill., after visiting Mrs. Martha Cousley and Mrs. James Consley.

Miss Clara Goddard and Miss Kathryn Lally, of Tipton, who have been visiting Miss Anna Donnelly, returned home yesterday.

Edward Donnelly, Sr., left Sunday for Chicago to visit his sister, Mrs. Mary Ramsey, and also to attend the national republican convention.

Jonathan Allison, of Longwood, and his two daughters, Mesdames Farris and Cole, visited his brother, W. S. Allison, and family, this week.

E. H. Greer, of Washington township, who is a candidate for the republican nomination for sheriff, went to Smithton today, looking after his fences.

Miss Joe Irene Berry, of 612 West Fourth street, is making quite an extended visit with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Kemp, of Hughesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Reeves and daughter left on the noon train today for St. Louis, after which Mrs. Reeves will go to Hot Springs, Ark., to be cured of rheumatism.

Mrs. C. M. Nelson, a former Sedalia lady, now living at Clinton, where her husband is agent for the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co., is in the city visiting her sister, Mrs. Harry Bates.

Mrs. Kathryn Semmes and Mrs. J. A. Taylor and son, Robert, all of Sardinia, arrived this afternoon to visit their daughter and sister, respectively, Mrs. John Menefee, Jr., and family.

Miss Martha Berry, who has been confined to her home for six weeks past, suffering with a very sore foot, is slowly improving, although unable to walk as yet.

Rev. Arthur Hunt, of Tipton, returned home at noon today, after a brief visit here. Tomorrow he goes to Lebo, Kan., to unite in marriage his brother-in-law, Robert Edwards, to Miss B. Courtney.

Ernest Grinstead, wife and two children, of Windsor, were down for a few days' visit last week with his brother, S. J. Grinstead, of 1720 South Monticau street.

W. R. Campbell, of Chicago, who has been visiting home folks at Clinton, is visiting his brother, Dr. A. J. Campbell, here today, and will leave for Chicago tonight.

Miss Elizabeth Gaines Allison has returned from Columbia, Mo., where she has been attending a house party the past week at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Hartley Banks.

Dr. J. E. Mitchell is in from his home near Postal today, transacting business in the probate court.

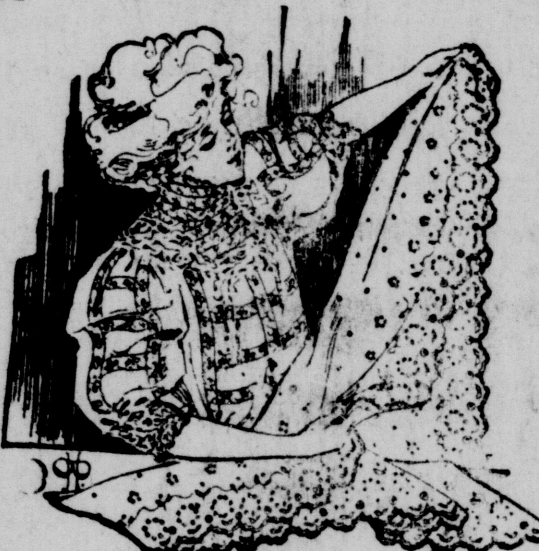
Mrs. J. T. Ellis and daughter, Miss Emma; H. S. Plummer, a real estate agent, and Cord Hudson, a farmer, came in from Windsor this morning, and will return tonight.

Mrs. Mary Malone, of Salisbury, Mo.; Mrs. W. H. McComad, of Huntville, Mo.; and Mrs. E. A. Sears, of San Diego, Cal., returned to their respective homes today, after visiting G. D. Malone and family.

Charles Blackman, an electrician,

"Coming Events Cast Their Shadows Before"

Thursday, Friday and Saturday a Three-Days' Clearance of All Embroideries Left From Past Sales, At Half and Less Than HALF PRICE



Those who have attended our past sales of embroideries will most appreciate the importance of this sale—at prices lower than ever for quick clearance. The assortment is large, but as lengths are not long your earliest selection is advisable.

15c, 18c, 20c, 22c, 25c embroideries, yard... 10c

25c, 30c, 32c, 35c, 40c embroideries, yard... 15c

50c, 55c, 59c, 65c to 75c embroideries, yard... 25c

Remember the days of the sale—THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY ONLY. Look for the window display.



who several weeks ago fell a distance of forty feet from a telephone pole and who has since been confined to apartments at the Maywood hospital, was removed to his home yesterday.

H. F. Brill, employed at the M. M. Stevenson Packing company's, has taken apartments at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Barker, Fifth street and Osage avenue, and in future will make his home with "Major" Leander Riley.

Mrs. L. R. Lee, of 916 West Fifth street, is visiting in Kansas City. She will be joined a week from tomorrow by her daughter, Miss Lela, a Bell telephone company operator, and the two will return home the latter part of next week.

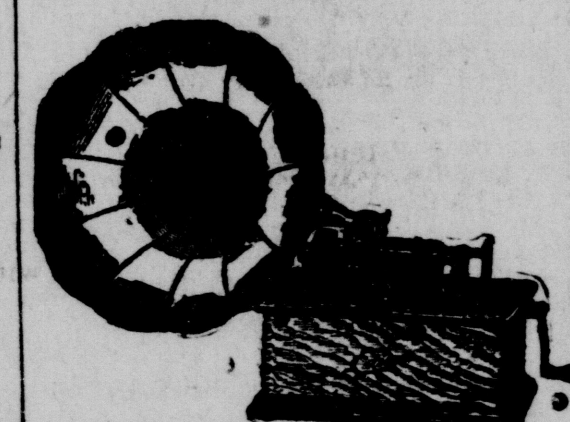
Rev. A. D. Johnston, a former minister of this city, now holding a pastorate at Buncheon, was in the city last night, and left this morning for the Ozark mountains and Fort Smith, Ark., to enjoy a vacation tendered him by the members of his church.

We care not how you suffered, nor what failed to cure you. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea makes the puniest, sickliest specimens of men or women strong and healthy; makes flesh and muscle. 35 cents, tea or tablets. W. E. Bard Drug Co.

TO COOL YOUR PORCH USE THE VUDOR PORCH SHADES.—MCKENZIE'S, 114 EAST FIFTH.

The City Given a Verdict.

At Smithton, Monday afternoon, in the case of the City of Sedalia against R. C. Dolph, suit for the rent of Liberty park hall as a skating rink, a jury in Justice Sommerville's court returned a verdict for \$165 and costs, the amount of the suit.



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JUDGE WALLACE STICKS

HE WILL NOT RETIRE FROM THE GUBERNATORIAL RACE, SO HE SAYS.

ANTISALOON PLAN DOES NOT SUIT

Asserts He Promised His Friends That He Would Remain to the End, and That is What He Proposes to Do.

Kansas City, Mo., June 16.—Judge William H. Wallace received a letter yesterday from U. G. Robinson, state superintendent of the Antisaloons league, asking him to attend a meeting today in the Planters' hotel in St. Louis. When the Antisaloons league held its convention in Sedalia a resolution was adopted to the effect that the league appoint a committee of three and ask Wallace, James H. Whitecotton and W. N. Evans, candidates for the democratic nomination for governor, to also appoint committees of three. The plan was for those committees and the candidates to meet today in St. Louis, Whom ever was decided upon as the strongest candidate with the temperance vote was to receive the endorsement of the Antisaloons league, the understanding to be that the other two candidates would withdraw.

"I shall not appoint a committee and I shall not attend the St. Louis meeting," Judge Wallace said last night. "When I became a candidate for governor I promised certain persons that I would remain in the race until the end and I will do nothing that will make it mandatory on me to quit should the decision of any committees be against me. I now have five or six times as many votes to my credit as either Whitecotton or Evans. Of course I would like to have the endorsement of the Antisaloons league, but its action will not control my candidacy."

MR. KNOX FOR COUNTY JUDGE

Well Known Merchant-Farmer of Smithton Seeks County Office.

The announcement of the candidacy of Charles W. Knox, of Smithton, for the nomination of county judge of Pettis county from the eastern district appears in this issue of the Democrat-Sentinel.

Mr. Knox is a merchant and farmer, owning a general store at Smithton and a productive farm just at the outskirts of the town. He has lived in that community for many years, and is one of the best and most successful residents there, both as a merchant and farmer, and holds the respect and esteem of all who know him. He is recognized as a representative citizen in his community and is generally regarded as a most conservative man. He has never held a public office except in an honorary way and then it was when identified with good roads, in which he is especially interested.

Politically Mr. Knox is a republican. He is a member of the republican county central committee and is one of the hardest workers in the field when the chance presents itself.

Mr. Knox's general qualifications will receive the best considerations from democrats who know him personally and from republicans who owe their support to him.

Money—Money—Money.

If you wish to corner money on real estate, or if you wish to loan money on real estate, in either case be sure and see me before doing business.—G. M. Riddle, the real estate and loan man. 310 Ohio street, over Guenther's store. Sedalia, Mo.

Fire Did \$300 Damage.

Fire of unknown origin at a residence owned by John Taylor, 430 North Mill street, occupied by Silas Duke, at 4:15 o'clock yesterday afternoon, damaged the dwelling to the extent of \$300.

Mr. Marsden Is Better.

Word received last evening from the bedside of J. L. Marsden, in Kansas City, whose illness with heart trouble has been noted in these columns, was to the effect that he was slightly improved.

INSURE WITH



321 Ohio Street. Bell Phone 935.

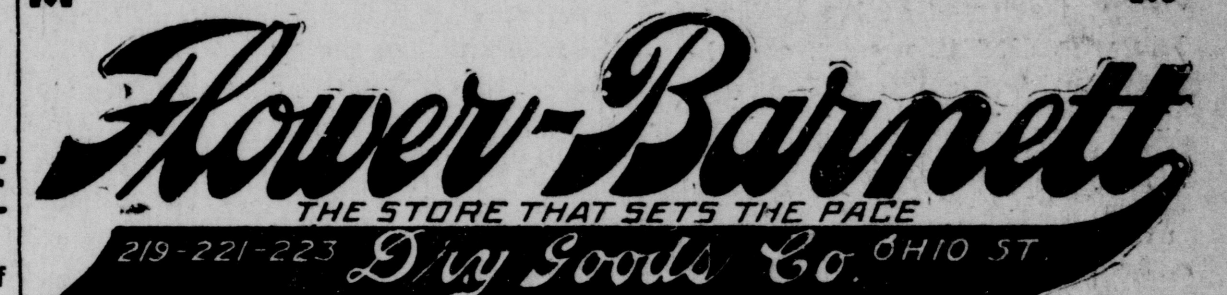
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32 Suits In All In the Lot—Positively No Two Styles Alike

\$50.00 Suits.....	25.00	\$25.00 Suits.....	12.50
\$40.00 Suits.....	20.00	\$20.00 Suits.....	10.00
\$35.00 Suits.....	17.50	\$17.50 Suits.....	8.75
\$30.00 Suits.....	15.00	\$12.75 Suits.....	6.38



Visiting in the Country.

Major and Mrs. R. J. Taggart, of Pittsburg, Pa., are visiting the family of W. A. McNulty, three miles southwest of Sedalia, and will remain for several weeks. Mrs. Taggart is a sister of Mr. McNulty.

Mrs. T. L. O'Brien, of Woodward, Ok., is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. A. McNulty, three miles southwest of Sedalia.

Photography and Designing.

See us when you want photos of the interior or exterior of your home, office, storeroom, etc. We make designs, etchings, half tones; also high grade printing. We keep the quality up on all our work.—Thomas Printing and Photo Co., 115 East Second St. Bell phone 149.

Remodeling a Building.

The McGinley building on Ohio avenue, formerly occupied by the Boston Cafe, is being repaired and repainted, preparatory to Mrs. J. W. Mallory removing her millinery stock into the place. Dr. Ormond will occupy the building to be vacated by Mrs. Mallory.

Off on a Fishing Trip.

Henry Blatterman, "Tot" Savage and "Cuter" Atkins left this morning for Clinton City to join a fishing party and will remain until the last of the week.

Fire Caused \$20 Damage.

The fire department was called to 201 East Saline street at 11:10 o'clock last night, where fire of unknown origin damaged the roof of the dwelling to the extent of \$20.

LITTLE GIRL'S SAD STORY

Goes on Stand and Tells of Crime Stepfather Committed.

Fort Scott, Kas., June 16.—Late yesterday, before Justice of the Peace Volker, Bob Chéry, the South-east side laborer, recently arrested on a charge of ruining his 15-year-old stepdaughter, Josephine Roberts, was given a preliminary.

The girl went on the stand and for over an hour was examined by the state's and defense's attorneys. She could not be swayed from her first story, that her father had several times tried to ruin her and partly accomplished his aims.

Dr. Carver went on the stand and stated that the child had been mistreated. The evidence was not concluded last night.

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PUSHES TRIGGER WITH STICK

Wealthy Farmer, Despondent, Blows His Head Off.

Lexington, Ky., June 16.—Seating himself on the cistern and placing the muzzle of his double-barreled shotgun to the left side of his head, Marus Cassel, aged 53 years, a wealthy farmer of this county, pushed the trigger with a broom handle and blew off his head.

Cassel's son, Robert, fell from a hotel window in St. Louis during the worlds fair and was killed. Since then the father has showed signs of despondency and of late his relatives have been alarmed at his actions.

His wife died two years ago, leaving him with his son and daughter, both grown. He was a half brother of W. H. Cassel, president of the Security Trust Co., and a brother of R. Lee Cassel, a druggist here.



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CITY COUNCIL MEETING

WHAT WAS DONE AT SEMI-MONTHLY SESSION HELD MONDAY NIGHT.

WILL BUY NEW SCALES FOR CITY

"Horse Hospital" Nuisance to Be Abated—J. W. Menefee Gets Contract for the Paving of Alley—Other Matters.

The city council met in regular session at 8:15 o'clock last night. Mr. Andler was absent, he having gone to Louisville, Ky., after his family.

Minutes of previous meetings were read and ordered filed. On motion of Mr. Olmsted, the council rejected the plat of Stewart & Thompson's second addition to the city.

Monthly reports of officers were received and filed.

The official returns from the recent local option election were received, on motion of Mr. Ilgenfritz. Several bids for the sale of new scales to the city were opened and read by Clerk Baker. After a lengthy discussion, Mayor Babcock recommended buying scales from J. M. Johannes, and Mr. Hatton moved to that effect. The motion carried by a vote of 4 to 3. Messrs. Olmsted, Baker and Ilgenfritz voting no.

An ordinance accepting the verdict of the jury which assessed damages on the opening of Seventeenth street was read and passed.

A petition to abate a "horse hospital" nuisance on Kentucky avenue, between Tenth and Eleventh streets, was presented by residents of that locality and referred to the mayor to be favorably acted upon.

W. A. East asked the council to deter the street car company in the latter's construction of a switch on Hancock avenue, between Fourth and Fifth streets.

J. W. Menefee was awarded the contract for paving the alley between Main and Second streets and Ohio and Lamine avenues, at \$1.75 per square yard.

Clerk Baker notified the council that the Queen City Telephone company was in arrears in payment of 2 1/2 per cent of the company's gross receipts for the past year, and on motion of Mr. Hatton the matter was referred to the city counselor.

After allowing all properly audited bills, council adjourned at 11:30 o'clock, on motion of Mr. Ilgenfritz.

CHARGES AGAINST POLICE

Prosecutor Probing Operations of Parsons Drug Stores.

Topeka, Kas., June 16.—The police at Parsons have been charged with protecting some of the druggists of the town in the illegal sale of liquor. Charles D. Shukers, assistant attorney general, has been sent to Parsons to look into these charges.

The charges were made by an attorney in the district court who said that he had the proofs that the police were paid money for protection. The attorney general was asked to make an investigation by Mayor Moses, who is trying to drive the liquor dealers out of Parsons.

THIS WILL BE A TEST CASE

Commodity Clause of Hepburn Rate Bill the Issue.

Washington, June 16.—A test case involving the constitutionality of the commodity clause of the Hepburn rate bill, requiring railroads owning coal properties to dispose of their holdings, will be commenced today in Philadelphia.

In accordance with an understanding with the department of justice the case will be tried upon an agreed state of facts and no prosecutions will be begun against the railroads directly interested in the suit until a decision of the court has been reached.

FARMER IS KILLED BY WIFE

Charles Ray Was Carrying Gun When He Was Shot.

Joplin, Mo., June 16.—Charles Ray, a farmer, living near here, was shot and killed by his wife, Fannie Ray, shortly after noon yesterday.

The fatal shot was fired from the second-story window of the Ray home, a shotgun heavily loaded with buckshot being used. Ray was carrying a shotgun himself at the time of the shooting.

Ray had left the field and was going into the house yard, carrying a double-barreled shotgun. Upon seeing his wife at a downstairs window he

is alleged to have said, "Now I have got you."

Mrs. Ray rushed to a second-story window and fired the fatal shot. Trouble has been brewing in the Ray household for many months. A divorce suit has been pending in the circuit court.

McGraw Draws Suspension.

New York, June 16.—John J. McGraw, manager of the Giants, was last afternoon notified by President Pulliam of the National league that he had been suspended from the game for three days. The cause of the suspension was the little verbal set-to the manager had with Umpire Johnson in Saturday's game.

"DRYS" ARE SPLIT BADLY

ANTI-SALOON LEAGUE HEAD IS COMING TO OUST REV. U. G. ROBINSON.

THE LATEST REVOLT IS NOW OPEN

Rev. Baker Does Not Mince Words in Writing of Shortcomings—Sedalians Will Watch the Case.

St. Louis, Mo., June 16.—Rev. P. A. Baker, of Baltimore, superintendent of the National Anti-Saloon league, is expected in St. Louis soon to engineer the ousting of Rev. U. G. Robinson as superintendent of the Missouri Anti-Saloon league. Letters explaining the situation have been prepared and are being mailed to every minister and worker in Missouri through a committee headed by Rev. Dr. W. B. Palmore and J. H. D. Stevens.

These give the history of the movement to oust Robinson. With them are being mailed two letters from Rev. Mr. Baker. One is to Mr. Robinson, telling him of the great dissatisfaction with his work and with his attitude toward other workers in the same cause. In that letter Mr. Robinson is removed from his position. The second is from Mr. Baker to Dr. Palmore relative to the action of the national organization.

Rev. C. R. Carlos is in temporary charge of the state organization at Kansas City. The work, however, is being conducted from St. Louis through a committee.

The contest between the two factions of the Missouri prohibitionists has resulted in the refusal of Mr. Robinson to retire from the management. It also has resulted in the incorporation by Robinson of the Missouri Anti-Saloon league, with him as the superintendent for a period of several years. Missouri is the only state that has incorporated its organization, the work in other states

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PLANS THEFT WHILE DINING

Tramp, After Being Fed, Loots Chillicothe Minister's Home.

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Instead of giving him the customary cold victuals, they invited him into the house and gave him a warm dinner. While he was alone in the room he put a toothpick in the window catch, and when the Rev. and Mrs. Smith returned that night from church, they found their house had been ransacked, and jewelry taken.

THE HOSTESS

At a luncheon often meets with an accident that from appearance will duin her best gown. Don't worry. Send it to us and we'll remove any spots without damage to garment, or 1c a dye if, if desired, and our charges will prove a revelation of applied economy.

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appeal to the Well-Informed in every walk of life and are essential to permanent success and creditable standing, therefore we wish to call the attention of all who would enjoy good health, with its blessings, to the fact that it involves the question of right living with all the term implies. With proper knowledge of what is best each hour of recreation, of enjoyment, of contemplation and of effort may be made to contribute to that end and the use of medicines dispensed with generally to great advantage, but as in many instances a simple, wholesome remedy may be invaluable if taken at the proper time, the California Fig Syrup Co. feels that it is alike important to present truthfully the subject and to supply the one perfect laxative remedy which has won the approval of physicians and the world-wide acceptance of the Well-Informed because of the excellence of the combination, known to all, and the original method of manufacture, which is known to the California Fig Syrup Co. only.

This valuable remedy has been long and favorably known under the name of—Syrup of Figs—and has attained to world-wide acceptance as the most excellent of family laxatives, and as its pure laxative principles, obtained from Senna, are well known to physicians and the Well-Informed of the world to be the best of natural laxatives, we have adopted the more elaborate name of—Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna—as more fully descriptive of the remedy, but doubtless it will always be called for by the shorter name of Syrup of Figs—and to get its beneficial effects always note, when purchasing, the full name of the Company—California Fig Syrup Co.—plainly printed on the front of every package, whether you simply call for—Syrup of Figs—or by the full name—Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna—as—Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna—is the one laxative remedy manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. and the same heretofore known by the name—Syrup of Figs—which has given satisfaction to millions. The genuine is for sale by all leading druggists throughout the United States in original packages of one size only, the regular price of which is fifty cents per bottle.

Every bottle is sold under the general guarantee of the Company, filed with the Secretary of Agriculture, at Washington, D. C., that the remedy is not adulterated or misbranded within the meaning of the Food and Drugs Act, June 30th, 1906.

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In the correspondence between Messrs. Baker and Robinson the former writes right to the point. He does not mince expressions as to the inability of Mr. Robinson to work with others in the same movement.

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BLUE LAW CASE CONVICTION

Notwithstanding Kansas City Verdict 209 Will Be Dismissed.

Kansas City, Mo., June 16.—After deliberating an hour, a jury in Judge Porterfield's court last afternoon returned a verdict of guilty against Thomas Taaffe, a ticket seller at the Century theater. The jurors assessed his fine at \$1 and costs. It was the first test case of the Sunday closing law.

Only one witness testified. The rest of the time was taken up by arguments.

Taaffe was indicted by the grand jury for working on Sunday, March 29. The trials of Sunday theater cases will continue this week.

Bert Kimbrell, assistant prosecuting attorney, dismissed forty-seven Sunday theater cases yesterday because of insufficient evidence. About 200 more cases probably will be dismissed today.

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Men's and young men's hose, black, plain or fancy, 64c per pair or 4 pairs for 25c.—The Globe, 105-07 West Main

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Swine Judges Meet in Des Moines.
Des Moines, Ia., June 16.—Nearly 500 critics of the porker are expected at the convention of the National

Swine Judges' association here tomorrow, following the meeting of the Iowa Swine Breeders' association today.

THERE IS NO GOOD TIME TO REST IN ADVERTISING

The important fact in the management of a store is that it is open for business regularly on all business days. This fact makes it important that the pulling power, the influence, of the advertising should be as steady as the service of clerks.

There is no day on which the advertising can be suspended without doing injury to the store—just as sure and positive injury as would be done by suspending any other function of the store for a day or two row and then.

For advertising has come to be a "function" of every live store—a part of the "service" it renders to the public. Advertising information is calculated to save the time and money of the store patrons—and there is no good time to suspend such a function as this.

WILL VOTE AT MEXICO

Election at Democratic Primary Legal, Judges Hold.

Mexico, Mo., June 16.—Judge James D. Barnett, of the Eleventh judicial district, handed down a decision in the circuit court here yesterday to the effect that the state Democratic primary is not such an election as would preclude a local option election.

The action was directed against the mayor and city council of Mexico, who refused recently to call a local option election. The case will be taken to the supreme court.

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WOMEN'S TRADE UNIONS

The Foe of Standard Oil Calls Man "Our Common Enemy."

Chicago, June 16.—Declaring the combination of modern women for the purpose of demanding their rights would eventually bring success, Miss Ida Tarbell, foe and historian of the Standard Oil Co., urged the formation of more unions in an address before the Women's Trades Union league here.

"I have never been in a trade," said Miss Tarbell, "but I have told for more years than I care to tell. And I've had to fight our common enemy—man."

Miss Tarbell is the guest of Mrs. Raymond Robbins, president of the league, during the republican national convention.

BURNS WHIPS SQUIRES

Canadian Wins From Australian in the Eighth Round.

Paris, June 16.—Tommy Burns, the American pugilist, defeated Bill Squires, the Australian, in the eighth round of a hard-fought battle at Neuilly.

Squires had Burns in rather a bad way during the first five rounds, but the American's greater staying power and superior ring generalship enabled him to win.

A stomach blow in the eighth round sent Squires down for the count.

This Man Was a "Big Eater."

Otto E. Schaar, president of the Waiters' club of New York, in a recent argument on tipping, said to his opponent sharply:

"Your reply is altogether beside the point and irrelevant. It reminds

me of a woman's reply in a German court.

"This woman was accused of poisoning her husband. The prosecuting attorney said to her:

"You have heard the evidence. The body contained enough arsenic to kill ten persons. What have you to say?"

"My husband," the woman answered, "was a big eater."

THEY WERE JUST EVEN

Husband Gave Wife a Present and Vice Versa.

John Mitchell, the well known labor leader, was discussing in Pittsburg a labor struggle of the past.

"You see, they didn't give us a fair deal," he said. It looked fair on its face, but really it was like the deal of Harvey Barr, of Braidwood.

"Harvey Barr, a successful lawyer, had a wonderful talent for getting the best of people. Even at home he kept this talent in play. His wife said to him one morning:

"Harvey, dear, this is the fifteenth anniversary of our wedding. What are you going to give me?"

"This is what I am going to give you," Harvey answered affectionately, and he handed his wife \$15 in crisp, fresh bills.

"Oh, thank you! And what shall I give you," the gratified wife asked.

"That meerschaum pipe I've been admiring so long," Harvey promptly answered.

"In the evening on his return home the pipe awaited him. It had cost \$15 just. He lit up and began to color it carefully.

"But as the evening wore on his wife seemed ill at ease.

"Where is my present, Harvey?" she said at last, fretfully.

"Why, my dear, Harvey explained, 'you gave me a pipe, I gave you

\$15. Don't you see? We're just even."

CLASSIFIED ADS

WANTED

Wanted—To haul trash, ashes and cinders; vaults cleaned. Cohen, Phone 1904.

HELP WANTED—Female

Wanted—Girl for linen room and sewing.—Huckins House.

Wanted—White girl for general housework; small family. 106 South Prospect.

HELP WANTED—Male

Wanted—Live ambitious man for responsible position in city; married man between 25 and 35 years preferred; first-class references required. For full particulars inquire by letter, P. O. box 154, Sedalia, Mo.

Wanted—For U. S. army able-bodied unmarried men between ages of 21 and 35; citizens of United States; of good character and temperate habits, who speak, read and write English. For information apply to recruiting officer, 100 Ohio street, Sedalia, Mo., or 728 Main street, Kansas City, Mo.

FOR SALE

For Sale—Fine pedigree Fomeren dog. Call Bell phone 1989.

For Sale—Good square piano and household furniture. 1917 Lamme St.

For Sale—Iron bed and Singer sewing machine, all attachments. M. Democrat-Sentinel.

For Sale—A good Walter A. Wood binder, cheap; also 200 oak posts.—J. Keleher, route 2, Sedalia, Mo.

For Sale—No. 1 L. C. Smith Bros. typewriter, practically new. H. W. Charles, 301 East Fifth street.

FOUND

Found—A purse containing jewelry. Owner can have property by calling at 1424 South Stewart, identifying same and paying for this notice.

THE SECRET OF TRAVELING

Is Told By Man Who Crossed the Continent in a Wagon.

Eli Smith, who on a wagon crossed the continent in a wagon drawn by Eskimo dogs, said the other day in Philadelphia:

"The secret of good traveling is to travel light. Don't accumulate a lot of rubbish. On the contrary, sort over your goods every day, and throw away the surplus.

"This is the spring housecleaning season, and I'd like to advise every housekeeper to throw out all that junk in the closet at the head of the cellar stairs. What good is the old stuff? It has been there for years. It is plastered thick with cobweb and mould.

"I once saw my uncle help his wife clean house. Every closet they came to, you'd hear some such dialogue as this:

"Uncle holds up a rusty tea kettle. 'You don't want this?'

"Well, it might come in handy for a flower or something," aunt falters.

"Into the ash barrel it goes, and uncle holds up a pair of old shoes. 'Why these old shoes must have been lying here five years! What have you been saving them for?'

"Well," says aunt, "if we ever wanted to make a pair of hinges—"

"I remember a pair of leather hinges I once made," says uncle bitterly; and into the barrel fall the shoes on top of the kettle.

"Then he holds up a hat. 'There's this old hat of mine I wore to the Philadelphia Centennial. Better throw it away, hadn't we?'

"Well, maybe so," says aunt. 'I've often thought of giving it to some poor man, but I forgot every time a tramp calls. I gave it to one tramp, and he went off and left it on the front gate post!'

Ice Cream and Cake Social.

Sedalia court No. 39, Tribe of Ben Hur, will give a social and entertainment Wednesday, June 17, 1908, at Woodmen hall, Second and Ohio street. Ice cream and cake will be served. Admission, 15 cents.

FOR RENT

For Rent—Four room house, 236 South Stewart street.

For Rent—Furnished room, modern, southern exposure. 403 E. Seventh.

For Rent—Three furnished rooms for housekeeping. 617 South Lafayette.

For Rent—New five-room modern cottage, 621 East Eleventh. Bell phone 1148.

For Rent—Two furnished rooms; modern. Apply 602 South Washington avenue.

For Rent—July 1st, five-room cottage, 506 West Seventh. Inquire 506 West Seventh.

For Rent—Strictly modern six-room house; located desirably. See W. J. Brill, at Democrat office.

For Rent—Modern six-room cottage 1009 Vermont street. Apply A. A. Baker, Tenth and Barrett.

For Rent—Rooms furnished or unfurnished, light housekeeping, ideal location; south. Bell phone 909.

For Rent—New four room cottages, Eleventh and Barrett avenue. See C. C. Lawson, Nixenfrida building.

For Rent—Three furnished rooms for light housekeeping; modern, close in. 317 East Sixth. Bell phone 1431.

For Rent—Six room modern house with bath and five room modern cottage. Apply Don Trent, Smoke House, or phone Bell 281.

LOST

Lost—Sunday night, between Broadway and Missouri Pacific tracks on Washington avenue, one gold belt pin with sets. Finder please leave at Democrat-Sentinel office for reward.

Wisconsin Veterans' Encampment.

Racine, Wis., June 16.—Wisconsin department, Grand Army of the Republic, opens its annual encampment today. National Commander Brion, of Missouri, is expected to address the veterans at a campfire this evening.

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TRY IT

PREACHER IS DIVORCED

WIFE DESERTED BY EVANGELIST WHOM SHE EDUCATED AS DOCTOR.

THE DISCIPLES OF CHRIST CHURCH

Mrs. Littenberger Paid Spouse's Expenses on Tour of Europe and They Lived Apart in Same House Afterward.

St. Louis, Mo., June 16.—Mrs. Henrietta Littenberger, of No. 5104 Morgan street, married an evangelist whom she had educated as a physician, paid his expenses on a trip to Europe, and was deserted by him after he had lived apart from her in the same house for nearly two years, according to the testimony by which she obtained a divorce yesterday from Dr. J. G. M. Littenberger, of Pendleton, Ore.

Mrs. Littenberger told Circuit Judge Taylor that the defendant was an evangelist of the Church of the Disciples of Christ when she met him in Illinois. They were married June 8, 1896. She spent \$2,500 for his medical training, she said.

She gave him a check to pay for the property where she lives, she asserted, and he had the title placed in his name. Her efforts to have the title transferred to her caused trouble between them. In December, 1905, he ceased living with her as her husband, and departed for Pendleton September 9, 1907.

Her niece, Henrietta Whitfield, who lives with her, said Dr. Littenberger told her aunt he would not live with her unless she gave him \$1,000.

Walter Holloway, fiancé of Miss Whitfield, who boarded with Mrs. Littenberger when her husband lived with her, said Dr. Littenberger declared his wife was not his equal and that he treated her with coldness and indifference.

Miss Louisa Wolff, of Dorchester, Ill., said she called at Dr. Littenberger's office in the Century building one day and he tried to put his arms around her.

Dr. Littenberger engaged Attorney W. C. Hoffeld and had a general denial of his wife's charges filed, but did not appear to defend the case.

LUCK OF A DREAMER

The Story of a Drummer Who Hailed From Pittsburg.

"I've only been on the road twenty-six years and traveled nine times around the United States," said the Pittsburg drummer, "and so you must excuse me for being a tenderfoot and not up to the dodges. I struck New York one day three months ago with \$2,000 in cash in my inside pocket. It was a legacy left me by my aunt. I was sitting in the office of my hotel when I was approached by a ministerial man who said he had been struck by the innocent look on my face. After a little talk he offered to show me how to beat the races by means of tapping the telegraph wires. It's an old game to the rest of you, but I had never heard of it before. When he assured me I could make half a million plunks in a month I told him I was a man and would put in every dollar of my legacy."

"You must be a jay," exclaimed one of his listeners.

"I am. There is not a bigger jay in the world. I was born that way and can't help it. I was to give the ministerial man the rhino next day, and I sat thinking how nice it would be to be worth a quarter of a million, when a doctor from my town came rushing into the hotel and said to me:

"Say, Jim, I have been riding around in a hack all day and am dead broke and can't pay the hackman. Lend me \$2,000 for a few days, will you?"

"And you lent it to him?"

"Yes, handed it right over and he handed it to the hackman and squared up."

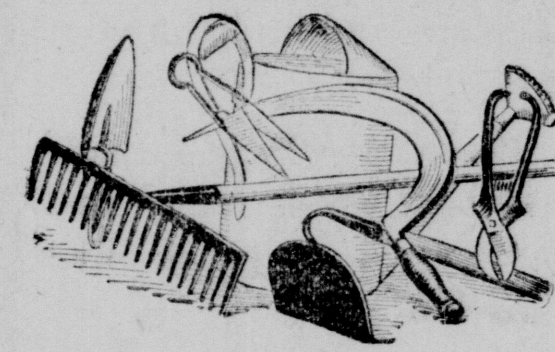
"But have you got it back yet?"

"No-o. You see the doctor went into bankruptcy next day. I may get 5 cents on the dollar some day, but it's doubtful. Gentlemen, don't call me names or hold it up against me. I have been an orphan all my life, and nature made me a trusting and guileless man. I have tried to be wicked, but it is not in me. I ought to have known better, but I was from Pittsburg and the doctor was from the same town, and he called me

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"Big Mose," the Fasting Crocodile. Curator Dittmars, of the Bronx zoo, was discussing with a reporter the strange case of "Big Mose," the fasting crocodile.

"Now, with Mose for a pet," concluded the curator, smiling, "the Arizona traveler wouldn't have been able to show his famous piece of economical ingenuity.

"You have heard, no doubt, of the feat?"

"The traveler and his dog were lost and hungry on the plains. Night fell. It looked as though both must go supperless to bed.

"But the ingenious traveler cut off the dog's tail, made a nutritious soup of it, and gave the hungry animal the bone."



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LONE BANDIT GETS \$215

Holds Up Pueblo Express Agent and Loots Cash Drawer.

Pueblo, Colo., June 16.—For a daring daylight robbery a lone man obtained the contents of the cash drawer of the Wells Fargo express office here last afternoon.

City Agent J. L. Muncey was alone about 2 o'clock, when a stranger pointed a revolver through the window. Muncey handed over \$200 in paper money and about \$15 in silver.

Degree for Governor Fort.

South Orange, N. J., June 16.—Seaton Hall college will confer the degree of Bachelor of Laws on Governor John Franklin Fort at the annual commencement tomorrow.

EVERY WOMAN

is interested and should know about the wonderful **MARVEL Whirling Spray** for the worst cases of **Gonorrhea and Gleet** no matter of how long standing. Absolutely harmless. Sold by druggists. Price \$1.00 or by mail, postpaid, \$1.00. Three boxes \$2.75.

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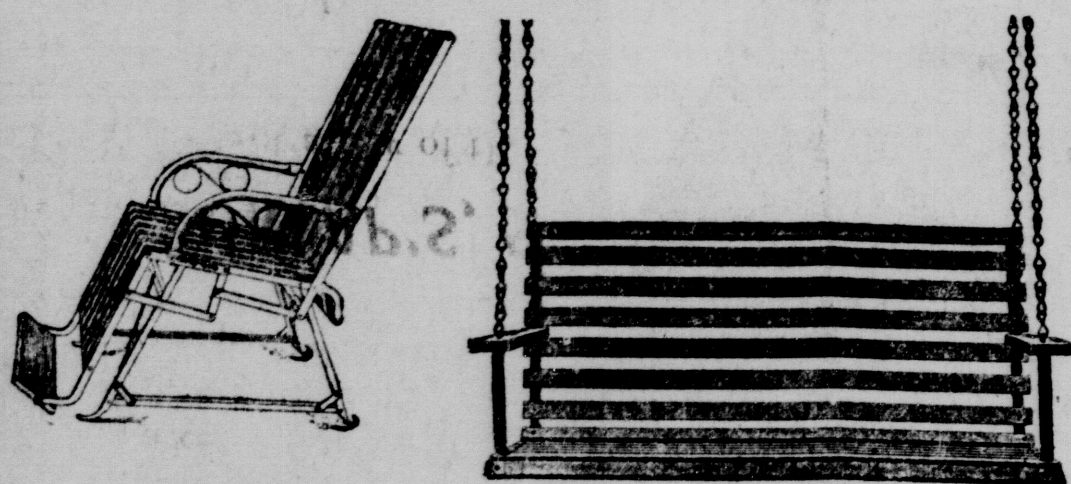
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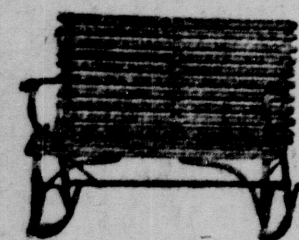
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RUMBLINGS OF THE RAIL

RAILWAY BOARD HAS NO POWER TO ORDER JOINT STATION AT KIRKSVILLE.

COACH, CAB AND CABOOSE ITEMS

Matters of Interest Picked Up From Various Sources for the Benefit of Democrat-Sentinel Readers.

Unless the fact can be clearly shown that the public service demands the establishment and maintenance of a joint station at the intersection of two railroads in this state, the state board of railroad and warehouse commissioners held yesterday that it was powerless to issue an order for such a station.

This ruling grew out of the effort made by the city of Kirksville to secure a joint station at the intersection of the Wabash and the Quincy Omaha and Kansas City roads near that city.

Some weeks since the Wabash depot in Kirksville was destroyed by fire, and W. E. Shirely, prosecuting attorney of Adair county, asked the board to order the Wabash when it rebuilt to locate the station on a site at the intersection. The board heard both sides to the controversy.

Another Wreck Victim Here.

A man named Dixon, another of the victims of the wreck of M. K. & T. train No. 4 near Clinton last Saturday evening, was brought to the company hospital from Clinton this morning, suffering from a contusion of the right side.

Six other wreck victims, who are at the hospital, are getting along nicely, including W. M. Brockmeyer, a train auditor.

Meeting of the Carmen.

Missouri Pacific lodge No. 97, Brotherhood of Railway Carmen, will hold a mass meeting in the criminal court room at the court house Thursday night of this week to discuss the strike situation.

Business and professional men are invited to attend.

Katy Sued for Big Sum.

The case of T. P. Bush, of Parsons, against the Katy will be tried at Sherman, Texas, this week.

Bush was formerly a fireman on the road and is suing for something over twelve thousand dollars, on account of injuries which impaired his eyesight.

Hospital Arrivals.

Following are new arrivals at the Katy hospital:

M. Walker, round house laborer, Smithville, Texas.

R. W. Adams, telegraph operator, Parsons, Kan.

W. T. Hughes, warehouse laborer, Denison, Texas.

Truman Dean, bridge carpenter, Parsons, Kan.

J. M. Edmonds, stationary fireman, Denison, Texas.

Automatic Couplers.

D. Stoffel, claim agent for the Katy, went south on No. 3 this morning.

G. W. Pate, a Missouri Pacific round house laborer, is ill with lumbago.

Thirty cars of meat were iced at the M. K. & T. icing station in this city today.

J. M. Chandler, Missouri Pacific roadmaster, went to Independence today on business.

A. R. Thickett, claim agent for the Katy, is here from St. Louis today on company business.

T. Lee Monroe, a Missouri Pacific machinist, will visit friends at Parsons, Kan., next week.

All trains on the Katy are running late on account of high water at various points along the line.

L. C. Marshall, assistant engineer for the Missouri Pacific, went to Centerville today on business.

D. H. Kuhn, a Missouri Pacific engineer, is laying off from work, suffering from a wrenched back and chest.

Conductor Guy Gibson was called to Smithton today by the death of his grandmother, Mrs. Lucretia Ferguson.

J. W. McClain, city passenger and ticket agent for the Missouri Pacific, covered and went to Kansas City this morning.

Katy flyer No. 5 will be run in two sections tomorrow morning, on account of today being "homeseekers' day" on the Katy.

The pay checks for M. K. & T. employees came in on No. 4 last night, and company employees are being paid off today.

The Missouri Pacific is being utilized by the M. K. & T. and C. & A. railroads on account of high water on the two roads.

Pat Sullivan had his left foot in-

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HOURS—9 to 12 1 to 5, 7 to 8; Sundays, 9 to 12 Only.

Injured at the Katy shops Saturday.

A drawhead from a car he was repairing at the Katy shops Saturday.

Pat Connor, a Missouri Pacific conductor and family, returned to their home at Jefferson City at noon today, after visiting friends here.

John M. Scott, representing the American Railway association, went to Kansas City this morning, after a visit with his family in this city.

C. M. Jacobs, ticket agent for the M. K. & T., and wife, returned last night from a brief visit in Texas, returning home sooner than expected on account of high water.

The Katy has suffered more damage to the bridge over Red river north of Denison, Texas, in consequence of which the flyers are being detoured from McAlester, Okla., via Paris and Belts, Texas.

Engineer J. W. Henry, of Nevada, who was in the M. K. & T. wreck near Clinton Saturday night, is able to be out of the company hospital, and favored the Democrat-Sentinel with a call this afternoon.

T. J. Gallivan, a Missouri Pacific engineer, piloted the C. & A. special from Sedalia to Kansas City last night, and deadheaded here today. On the trip he met an old friend, Red Norton, a C. & A. engineer.

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FUGITIVE "RED" EDITOR

Demands Child of Banker With Whose Pretty Wife He Fleed.

Paterson, N. J., June 16.—Ludorico Caminita, editor of the suppressed anarchistic paper, La Question Sociale, who was indicted by the last grand jury for having written inflammatory appeals "to arms" and who skipped with Mrs. Amelia Canova, pretty wife of Effesia Canova, an Italian banker of this city, is at Old Forge, Penn.

Yesterday a letter was received by the banker from his runaway wife, who asks that he give up the custody of their three-year-old child.

From the tone of the letter the mother love has reassessed itself, and the woman is unhappy without her firstborn.

Canova has also received a letter from Caminita, which contains a threat that if the child is not given to "its natural protector" he will come to Paterson and kidnap it.

STARTED A SMALL RIOT

Socialist Made Attack on Catholic Church.

Philadelphia, Penn., June 16.—By attacking the Roman Catholic church in a public speech at Germantown and Chelton avenue, a man who said he was Edward Moore, a socialist, last night brought upon himself the anger of some 600 persons who were in his audience.

As Moore was wading into the Catholic doctrine a young man in the second row of listeners reached over the shoulder of the man in front and, pulling Moore within striking distance, punched him in the eye.

Moore struck back, and in a minute he was the center of a struggling, fighting throng. Driven away, he returned, and as he tried to speak a second time the police patrol arrived and took a number of persons to the station. Later all were released.

ARE 25,000 IDLE MINERS

Western Federation Warns Men to Remain Away.

Miners are urged by the Western Federation of Miners to stay away from Idaho, or the Coeur d'Alene mining district, Cobalt, Ontario and Fairbanks and Douglas Island, Alaska.

The above named places are absolutely flooded with men and hundreds are out of employment and unable to get work, even at a reduced wage. There are 25,000 miners out of employment at the present time throughout the mining regions of the west.

Do not be beguiled by any employment agent or representative of the Mine Owners' association.

WOMAN ILL; MAN KILLS SELF

Illincian's Note Says He Feared He Would Be Blamed.

Macomb, Ill., June 16.—Darius Hicks, 50 years old, a farmer and stock raiser, worth \$100,000, committed suicide yesterday by shooting himself with a rifle at his home near Blandville.

He left a letter in which he says an operation had been performed a few weeks ago on a married woman, who, for two years, had been his housekeeper, his wife being dead. The woman is in a critical condition in Keokuk, Ia.

In the letter Hicks says he is not responsible, but feared he would be blamed.

Entertained by Mrs. Reynolds.

Mrs. W. H. Reynolds, 820 West Seventh street, was hostess this morning to a company of twenty ladies, complimentary to Mrs. H. H. Hyatt, of Kirkwood, Mo. The color scheme was pink and white. The club prize, a fancy belt pin, was won by Mrs. A. D. Stanley, and Mrs. Calloway, of Fort Worth, Texas, won the consolation prize, a book of poems. Mrs. Hyatt, the guest of honor, was presented with a pink silk fan. Mrs. Reynolds served ice cream, with red raspberries, and cake.

Will Wed Tomorrow.

A marriage license was issued today to John F. Presto, of Washington, D. C., and Miss Maud H. Hunkle, of this city. They will be married tomorrow.

Whist Club Entertained.

Mrs. Hattie Paff, 210 West Seventh street, entertained the Monday Bridge Whist club yesterday, but prizes are not awarded at the meetings of the club.

Will Move to Columbia to Live. T. W. Bast, of Sedalia, one of the best known architects in Missouri

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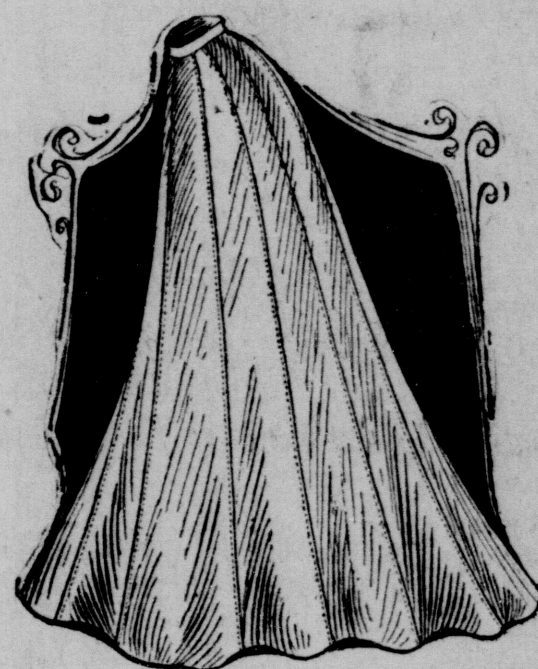
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MANY HEAR COWHERD SPEAK

Defends University and Normals in Brookfield Address.

Brookfield, Mo., June 16.—The coming of W. S. Cowherd, democratic candidate for governor, last afternoon caused the greatest political enthusiasm Brookfield has witnessed in the present campaign.

A large audience greeted him at the opera house last night and vigorously applauded his defense of the state university and district normal schools.

Mr. Cowherd was unable, on account of high water to reach Linneus, the county seat, for his appointment yesterday morning.

Magazines for the Hospital.

The ladies in charge of the City Hospital would very much appreciate donations of reading matter, magazines, etc., which are of no present value to their possessors. Their use-

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BOOKIES CLOSE IN ARKANSAS

Supreme Court Upholds the Anti-Betting Legislation.

Little Rock, Ark., June 16.—The supreme court yesterday upheld the validity of the anti-racing law. The case was that of Simon and Snyder and was appealed from the Garland circuit court.

The appellants were fined in the lower court on the charge of betting on a horse race at Hot Springs. It was contended by the defendants that the act was not properly certified to by the president of the senate or the governor.

The supreme court failed to find any ground for the appeal and sustained the judgment of the lower court.

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REPUBLICAN CONVENTION BEGAN SECOND DAY'S WORK AT NOON.

THE TWO COMMITTEES REPORTED

All Taft Delegates Were Seated and Cut and Dried List of Permanent Officers Selected—Senator Lodge's Speech.

Chicago, June 17.—Down to business at last, the fourteenth republican national convention entered upon its second day's work with several important factors still unsettled and with trouble enough in sight to make it practically certain that at least two days must be consumed before the nominations can be made.

There was a striking contrast last night between the gaiety of the crowds in the hotel corridors and cafes, who were idly and noisily whiling away time, and the grim struggle in which the two most important standing committees were engaged—that on credentials continuing throughout the night.

All the hotels were the scenes of what might be termed harmless riot, the singing, cheering crowds in ceaseless, endless lines pressing back and forth. Campaign songs of old times and new were sung, and the far corners of the great buildings rang with cheers for everybody, from Roosevelt and favorite sons down to the most infinitesimal leader of a republican forlorn hope. Everywhere also were little groups of wisecracks, laying down political law and gossip with that incomparable solemnity which is an unerring mark of a rear rank delegate at a political convention.

Meanwhile the real questions immediately at issue were being threshed out in committees on resolutions and credentials.

The proposed plank in the platform relating to the limitation of the use of court injunctions in labor controversies was of course the principal bone of contention. The committees referred this question to a sub-committee and the sub-committee late in the evening adjourned until this morning. At that time the surface indications pointed to a long and bitter struggle.

Late in the night, however, it became known that a compromise was likely and that efforts were being made to get together on an injunction plank that would be fairly acceptable to the various elements interested. Such a compromise would remove a factor which not only would have greatly prolonged the deliberations of the committee, but which carried at last to the floor of the convention would have precipitated a struggle the final outcome of which it would be difficult to forecast, for while it early became evident that a majority of the sub-committee was in sympathy with the views of the national administration on this subject, there was some doubt whether this was true of the whole resolutions committee. The bitterness which has been displayed on both sides of this question gave ominous threat of a storm of great proportions should the controversy be flung into the convention in its crude form.

All night the committee on credentials ploughed through a long line of contests, and few were much surprised to find that all of the decisions confirmed those of the national committee. It was assumed at the outset today that today's session of the convention would be perfunctory, so far as the main purposes of a nomination were concerned.

At 4:45 this morning the committees on credentials, after an all night session passed upon the last contests, closing the list with the cases covering the entire state of Texas. Every case decided by the committee was according to the previous decisions of the national committee, and in nearly every instance the seated delegation was one instructed for Taft. A dissenting report will be made by the minority.

Half an hour before the time set for the convening of the convention there were only a few hundred spectators in the gallery.

A parade of many state delegations preceded the assembling of the convention and the streets leading from the downtown hotel district to the Coliseum were thronged with thousands of people, who cheered the marching hosts. As the delegates assembled there was an air of some

uncertainty as to just what the day's session would bring forth.

That the lack of any exciting features in the session of yesterday has produced its effects upon the public at large was even more apparent than was evidenced by the tardy appearance of the delegates.

By twelve o'clock the delegates were pouring through the entrances and the hall was so well filled up as to call for serious objections from members of the Chicago fire department to the manner in which the aisles and stairways at the sides of the stage were blocked.

The Convention Reconvenes.
At 12:30 o'clock Senator Burrows brought down his gavel with a sharp

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WAS SURPRISE WEDDING

THAT OF MR. DAVID McCABE AND MISS SADIE WOOD BY THE REV. J. J. SETLIFF.

CEREMONY AT THE PARSON'S HOME

Will Remain Here a Month and Then Go to St. Louis, Where the Bridegroom Has Good Position as a Machinist.

(From Wednesday's Daily.)
Miss Sadie Wood and Mr. David McCabe surprised their friends, and relatives as well, by getting married yesterday afternoon.

The couple had been sweethearts for a long time, but they had never hinted matrimony to any of their friends, not even to the bride's mother, who did not know of her daughter's intentions until after she was married.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. J. Setliff, pastor of the East Broadway Christian church, at his home.

Miss Wood is a daughter of Mrs. Thomas Wood, 1023 East Ninth street, and has a large circle of friends.

The groom is a former Missouri Pacific machinist here, but since the shops closed he has been employed in St. Louis.

He came to Sedalia for a visit Sunday, and the couple decided to get married. They did so without asking anybody.

Mr. and Mrs. McCabe will remain in Sedalia about a month and will then go to St. Louis to reside.

The Democrat-Sentinel extends congratulations.

WATERS ARE FALLING

At Kansas City the Missouri and Kaw Are Going Down.

Kansas City, June 17.—The overflow of the Missouri and Kaw rivers continues to subside. The past twenty-four hours the Missouri fell nine-tenths of a foot, and more than a three-foot fall is recorded in the Kaw. Railroad conditions have improved slightly.

It Is Over in Topeka.

Topeka, Kas., June 17.—The flood here is over. The Kaw has fallen to seventeen feet and North Topeka now appears only as if it had had a big rain. Railway service is resumed, and normal conditions prevail.

The Chicago Convention.

Thursday morning it looked as if the Chicago convention would nominate Mr. Taft for the republican nomination for president on the first ballot today.

All is speculation as to the vice presidency, but it will likely be Cummins or Fairbanks.

A compromise has been effected on the anti-injunction plank in the platform, and the convention will today either approve or reject the committee's work.

Henry Leist Sells Out.

(From Wednesday's Daily.)
H. V. Leist, owner of Leist's saloon and cafe, 212 South Ohio avenue, today sold out to R. Sater, recently of New York city, who assumed charge at once. The consideration is private. Mr. Leist will remain with the establishment in the capacity of manager.

WERE WED AT HIGH NOON

MR. JOHN F. PRESTON AND MISS MAUDE H. HUNICKE BY REV. PARSONS.

NUMEROUS BEAUTIFUL PRESENTS

Buffet Luncheon Served at the Home of the Bride's Parents Before the Couple Departed for the Far West.

(From Wednesday's Daily.)

John F. Preston, a graduate of Ann Arbor University and now assistant in the United States forestry service, with headquarters at Washington, D. C., and Miss Maude H. Hunicke, one of the accomplished daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hunicke, 1009 East Broadway, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony at the First Congregational church at high noon today, the pastor, the Rev. James Parsons, performing the ceremony.

James Neely served as best man, while Miss Grace Hunicke, sister of the bride, acted as maid of honor.

The following served as bridesmaids: Misses Edna Hunicke, another sister of the bride; Edna Rascher, of St. Louis; Ruth Fitzgerald and Margaret Sneed.

Lee Gentry, Reuben Gentry, Al Cordes and Dr. Broadus acted as ushers, and Master Frederick Fulkerson and little Miss Dorothy Keens served as flower bearers.

Miss Jessie Smith presided at the organ and also gave a single number on that instrument. Mrs. E. B. Quisenberry sang "Adoration," while "Because I Come to You With Love" was sung by Miss Mae Hunicke. Miss Alice Brown gave a double number.

The edifice was decorated in daisies, and immediately following the ceremony the bridal party proceeded to the bride's home, where a buffet lunch was served. Later the couple left on Missouri Pacific train No. 1 for Newport, Wash., the present temporary headquarters of Mr. Preston.

Among the out-of-town guests who attended were: Mrs. Virginia Preston and daughter, Rena, of Kansas City, mother and sister, respectively, of the groom; Miss Edna Baker, of Moberly; Miss Edna Rascher, of St. Louis; Craig Fulkerson and sister, of Higginsville.

The wedding presents were beautiful and numerous, many of them being the gifts of out-of-town friends. Among them was a chest of silver, consisting of fifty-six pieces, purchased of C. H. Bard, and presented by Dr. Broadus, Lee and Reuben Gentry, James Neely.

Mr. Preston formerly lived at Higginsville and is a gentleman of the highest type.

His bride is one of Sedalia's sweetest young ladies, beautiful and accomplished, and the best wishes of every friend will be united with that of the Democrat-Sentinel, that the couple may live to enjoy a long and happy married life.

SACRED HEART CARNIVAL

Number of Beautiful Articles Were Drawn Last Night.

(From Wednesday's Daily.)
The Sacred Heart church, carnival opened last night under most favorable circumstances. Amid the inspiring music of the band, over one hundred and fifty people entered the hall and enjoyed the affair.

Much interest was manifested at all booths, and some pretty and expensive presents were drawn, among them being silk waists, sofa pillows, dresser work, pictures and other articles.

Tonight Dr. George E. McNeil, of the M. K. & T. hospital staff of surgeons, will illustrate his itinerary through Europe by moving pictures, and this feature of the carnival is looked forward to with pleasure.

BRIGHT SEDALIA TEACHER

Miss Ellis Is to Be Given an Outing in Europe.

The St. Joseph Gazette of Sunday had the following about the teacher of grade No. 7, Summit school, this city, last term:

"Miss Ethel Ellis, of this city, who has been teaching in the public schools at Sedalia, Mo., is one of the honored teachers selected by the National Civic Federation of New

York City to take part in the teachers' visit to Europe.

"Miss Ellis was born and reared in this city. She graduated at St. Joseph High school in 1898, and after leaving the high school attended the State University at Columbia, also the Washington university at St. Louis, and then finished her studies by graduating at the State Normal at Warrensburg.

"Miss Ellis will sail for Europe about September 15. She is now in the city at the home of her grandfather, W. C. Toole, 809 North Fourth street.

Licensed to Wed.
(From Wednesday's Daily.)
A marriage license was issued June 17 to A. G. Henry, of Sedalia, and Pearl M. White, of Smithton.

MUST PAY FOR PRINTING

SUPREME COURT UPHOLDS CONTRACT WITH THE CURRAN PRINTING CO.

THEY HAVE A BILL OF \$6,375.00

Judge Gantt Rules Company Is Entitled to Collect Money From St. Louis City—Why the Mayor Objected.

Jefferson City, Mo., June 17.—Division No. 2 of the supreme court yesterday, in an opinion written by Judge Gantt, sustained the judgment of the lower court that the firm of Con P. Curran Printing company is entitled to the full face of its contract for \$6,375 for printing the "mayor's message" and other documents, entered into between the company and the city of St. Louis, November 25, 1902.

Judge Gantt holds that the contract was perfectly valid and binding, and that the mayor should have signed it under the admitted state of facts.

His refusal to sign it was not caused by any objection to the security or the insufficiency of the bond, but wholly on the ground that the price named was in excess of the appropriation.

Judge Gantt further holds that the company must not be put to the trouble of instituting mandamus proceedings, but is entitled to collect its money at once.

THEIR "COTTON" WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jurs Are Celebrating It Today.

(From Wednesday's Daily.)
Henry Jurs, the affable manager of the Woolbridge five and ten cent store, and wife, are today celebrating their cotton wedding anniversary at their home, 419 West Fourth street.

One year ago today, at Buffalo, N. Y., Mr. Jurs was united in marriage to Miss Anna Kerling. From Buffalo they went to Decatur, Ill., and several months ago came to Sedalia, since which time they have made hosts of friends, who will express the wish that the couple may live to celebrate many marriage anniversaries.

MADSTONE DIDN'T ADHERE

Little Norine Poole Brought Home From Nevada Today.

(From Wednesday's Daily.)
D. B. Poole, of 1500 South Quincy avenue, came home this morning from Nevada, Mo., where he took his 3-year-old daughter, Norine, to have a madstone applied to a scratch inflicted on her right thumb on Thursday, the 11th inst., by a fox terrier that was seized with the rabies last Sunday and had to be killed.

The stone is owned by A. A. Waddell, an it refused to adhere when applied to the thumb, so the belief is that the child will not experience any further annoyance from the scratch.

Col. J. B. Elliott Is 67 Today.

(From Wednesday's Daily.)
Col. John B. Elliott is today celebrating his 67th birthday. He was born in Missouri, as were his parents, his father being a native of Howard county and his mother a native of Cooper county. Col. Elliott has lived in Sedalia for more than twenty-five years, and he challenges the state to produce a native-born who has a better democratic record than he.

KILLED IN A POKER GAME

MISSOURI MAN WHO LOSES \$10 SLAYS ANOTHER OF THE PLAYERS.

THE "ANTE" WAS QUITE LIMITED

Webb Huett, Who Shot James Blunt at Elvins, Mo., Surrenders to Sheriff at Farmington—Had Been Afraid of Lynching.

Farmington, Mo., June 17.—Webb Huett, who shot and killed James Blunt at Elvins Monday night, surrendered to Sheriff Croke yesterday and is now in jail.

He admits the killing, but says he was justified and that the only reason he disappeared after the tragedy was that he feared he would be lynched by his victim's friends.

He sent word by his brother yesterday morning that he would surrender, but intimated that he might remain in hiding until dark, but later in the afternoon he appeared at the sheriff's office.

The shooting followed a quarrel over the loss of \$10 in a poker game Monday night. Bad feeling existed between the men because of a note for \$60 said to have been given by Huett to Blunt after a poker game some time ago.

Monday night there was a game in a room over a saloon and about midnight Huett, who had lost \$10, began abusing the other players.

Blunt, who was a bartender and was in charge of the game, told Huett that if he did not like the way things were run he could stay away; that no one had invited him into the room. As he was speaking Blunt started to rise from the table and Huett drew a revolver and began shooting. Blunt fell at the first shot and died within a few minutes. Huett was not armed. Huett ran down stairs and escaped in the darkness.

Blunt was 50 years old and was quite popular in Elvins. He was unmarried, Huett is 35, married and has one child. He was formerly a barber, but has recently been running a pool room in Flat River.

INDICTMENT IN PAPER CASES

Warrants Issued at Conclusion of Grand Jury's Inquiry.

New York, June 17.—Several indictments were reported yesterday by the federal grand jury, which has been investigating the New York Cotton exchange and the Manila Paper and Fiber Manufacturers' association. None of the indictments was made public.

One of them, however, was placed under seal by order of the court on request of Assistant United States District Attorney Crim, who has charge of the investigation of the paper manufacturers' case. He asked to have the indictment placed under seal of the court for several days, or until all those mentioned in the indictments had been apprehended.

Judge Hough in granting the request issued bench warrants for the arrest of those named in the indictments.

DOESN'T WANT DIVORCE

Wife Beater Shoots His Wife and Mother-in-Law.

New York, June 17.—Enraged because his wife planned to secure a divorce, John Blankmeyer, former inmate of Sing Sing, where he served a term for wife beating, went to his home on West One Hundred and Forty-fourth street today shot and killed his mother-in-law, Mrs. Christina Meininger, and shot his wife, Mrs. Edna Blankmeyer, when she sought to interfere. Mrs. Blankmeyer is in a critical condition.

TRY TO HOLD UP STREET CAR

As Result One Bandit and Motorman Are Wounded.

New Orleans, June 17.—Three men attempted to hold up and rob a street car on the outskirts of the city yesterday. As a result, Henry O'Dell, one of the bandits, is at the hospital, with a bullet wound in the thigh, and Ernest Reviere, the motorman, is suffering from a similar injury.

O'Dell says he was persuaded to

attempt the holdup by the other two men. The three bandits boarded the car and after riding a short distance leveled revolvers at the conductor and demanded all the money he had. The conductor sought refuge with the motorman, who grappled with O'Dell.

In the fight between the motorman and O'Dell the latter's revolver was discharged twice and each of the men received a slight wound. The other two bandits made their escape.

Dry Weather Is Promised.

The weather forecaster at Washington, D. C., promises that after Thursday, the 18th, Missouri will have dry weather, with plenty of sunshine. Good news, truly, if true.

WILLIAM BARR IS DEAD

THE END COMES TO FOUNDER OF ST. LOUIS HOUSE AT ORANGE, N. J.

PIONEER MERCHANT OF MOUND CITY

Possesses Faculties Until the Last, Dying Peacefully, With Wife, George M. Wright and Others at His Beside.

New York, June 17.—William Barr, founder, and until a few years ago, head of the William Barr Dry Goods company, of St. Louis, died at his home in Llewellyn Park, West Orange, N. J., shortly before 5 o'clock last afternoon. Burial will be in Rosedale cemetery, Orange, Thursday afternoon.

At the bedside of Mr. Barr when the end came were the members of his immediate family, including Mrs. Barr, George M. Wright, and Mrs. Wright, of St. Louis, Robert Wright, Miss Johnson, a cousin of Mr. Barr, and Miss Black, a close friend.

Mr. Barr was in full possession of his mental faculties up to the last moment. His death, according to George M. Wright, his brother-in-law, came so peacefully that those at the bedside scarcely knew he was dying.

Although in poor health for several months past, Mr. Barr was not believed to be seriously ill until a week ago, when his physicians notified Mrs. Barr that he was beyond human aid and advised that relatives be summoned. Mrs. Barr telegraphed her brother, George M. Wright, and he came east, arriving here last week.

Since 1870, Mr. and Mrs. Barr have made their home in Orange. They had been married fifty years.

Mr. and Mrs. George M. Wright will depart for St. Louis Friday following the interment.

BITTEN BY A COPPERHEAD

High Water Has Driven Snakes Into Bluffs Along River.

Newton Hunter, a man about 40 years of age, who has been living in the family of M. G. Quinn for the last five years, was bitten by a copperhead snake at McBaine Sunday, says the Columbia Herald.

He had gone there in the morning to see the high waters and also to fish. In the afternoon he went to the railroad bridge east of McBaine to set his fishing line. He had reached over the abutment of the bridge to put his pole in a crack of the rock when the snake bit him.

He came to Columbia on the afternoon train and found Dr. Shaeffer as soon as he arrived. Dr. Shaeffer cauterized and dressed the wound.

The bite is on Mr. Hunter's wrist and his arm has swollen to twice its ordinary size. He seems to be getting along all right and though the arm is very sore, no uneasiness is felt. He is consuming whisky in large quantities in an effort to check the poison.

Engineer Scalded to Death.

A spreading rail, caused by recent heavy rains, overturned an engine on an embankment in the railroad yards at Quincy, Ill., Sunday.

Alonzo L. Borders, the engineer, aged 38 years, was scalded, and died shortly after being taken to a hospital.

Frederick Mester, the fireman, had his leg broken and suffered other painful injuries, but it is thought that he will recover.

"DRYS" ENDORSE EVANS

HON. J. H. WHITECOTTON QUITS RACE FOR GOVERNOR OF MISSOURI.

LATTER WILL NOT SUPPORT VICTOR

Judge Wallace, of Kansas City, Refused to Enter the Conference—Antisaloon League Scheme Carried Out.

St. Louis, Mo., June 17.—After a conference lasting all day at the Planters' hotel yesterday, the committee representing the Missouri Antisaloon league finally indorsed Judge W. N. Evans, of West Plains, for governor.

James H. Whitecotton, who, with Judge Evans, attended the conference, announced at the Laclede hotel last night that he would formally withdraw as a candidate for governor within the next day or two.

Judge W. H. Wallace, of Kansas City, who was asked to attend the conference, was not represented.

Mr. Whitecotton said he could not deliver his county to Evans because it was already strongly for David A. Ball. He said he would take no hand in the fight. Members of the Antisaloon league said that both Judge Evans and Mr. Whitecotton had agreed before the conference to support the choice of the league committee. Whitecotton denied this, saying that he agreed only to withdraw if he did not receive the indorsement of the antisaloon men.

Following the announcement of the antisaloon committee at the Planters, Mr. Whitecotton at once went to the Laclede, where he remained in conference for over an hour with friends, including Joseph Shortall, secretary of the Missouri fish commission; Fred Asmuth, W. M. Culp, Richard Porter, president of the fish commission, and Arthur Tibbs, prohibition candidate for lieutenant governor.

Judge Evans said he would at once resume his campaign over the state. His interests in St. Louis will be looked after, he said, by the recently organized Evans Business Men's committee in which Nelson W. McLeod and E. S. Lewis are actively interested.

The committee of the Antisaloon league indorsing Judge Evans are: W. H. O'Brien, of St. Louis; A. L. McCawley, of Carthage, and J. K. Estes, of St. Louis. The committee representing Mr. Whitecotton at the conference were: R. Porter, Paris; William O. L. Jewett, Shelby; Dr. J. H. Simon, St. Louis. Judge Evans's committee were: E. S. Lewis and J. H. Bird, of St. Louis.

"After considering the claims of both Judge Evans and Mr. Whitecotton for the nomination for governor," said Mr. O'Brien, chairman of the Antisaloon league committee, "we decided to support Judge Evans, as we believe he has the strongest organization in the state and has made a more thorough campaign up to this time. Each candidate agreed to abide by our decision.

"Judge Wallace, of Kansas City, refused to join in the conference. We regard him as an extremist in his views anyway and did not consider his candidacy after his refusal to meet with Judge Evans and Mr. Whitecotton."

The question of asking Messrs. Whitecotton, Evans and Wallace to agree upon one of their number, the others to retire from the race, was first broached by the Antisaloon league men two weeks ago, according to Mr. O'Brien. Judge Evans said he mentioned the plan to Mr. Whitecotton and Judge Wallace at the state democratic convention in May.

Both Judge Evans and Mr. Whitecotton said the reason for their agreeing with the antisaloon men to decide who should run was because both were "administration candidates" and if both remained in the race it would divide the vote.

Took in Three New Members.

The W. C. T. U. had a splendid meeting Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Edward Heckman, 209 East Seventh street. Reports regarding the recent local option election were heard, and it was decided to work harder in the interest of temperance in the future than in the past. Three new members were enrolled, and the universal verdict was that the meeting was one of the best held in many months.

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HADLEY'S BAD BREAK.

The action of Attorney General Hadley in summarily dismissing his assistant, N. T. Gentry, from office, giving no reasons therefor or indicating in any way what cause he had for dissatisfaction, is the first really bad break this aspiring young politician has made since coming into the limelight, but it is bad enough to make up for the absence of mistakes in the past.

The act demonstrated very clearly just what sort of a man General Hadley is, stamping him as a demagogue, pure and simple, one who because he can not absolutely control an assistant politically, ruthlessly cuts off his head, in spite of the fact that his record in office is without a flaw, and that most of the work for which the chief has taken credit has been done by the deposed man.

The act, too, is an example of political bossism seldom witnessed, even in the most boss-ridden states, and would indeed have been beyond the late Senator Quay, even in the palmy days of his rigorous rule of this state of Pennsylvania.

The whole sum of Mr. Gentry's offending was that he aspired to run as his party's candidate for attorney general, a laudable ambition, and one that he was entitled to entertain by reason of the good work that he had performed while in a subordinate position.

But General Hadley, who was slated for the gubernatorial nomination, demanded that he be allowed to dictate who should be the other candidates, and because Mr. Gentry would not obey his orders to stifle his ambition and retire from the race, avenged himself by dismissing him from public service.

It was a nasty act, and indicates the caliber of the man who would be the next governor of Missouri.

TO WATCH THE PACIFIC.

Representative Hobson, who may be regarded as an authority on naval matters, thinks that the battleships now in the Pacific should remain in that ocean. He points out that within two or three years a powerful maritime nation has arisen in the Orient, and that this nation is backed by a great standing army, always in readiness to cooperate with the fleet, and he lays particular emphasis on the fact that the strength of the English navy, once deployed in Oriental waters, is now conveniently in the Mediterranean or near the British Channel to watch the growing strength of the German navy.

His conclusion is that it is necessary to our safety to maintain a fleet in the Pacific ocean and to build, as quickly as possible, a powerful fleet for the protection of our Atlantic seaboard. There was a time when the

presence of the powerful British navy, with strong representation by French, German and Russian gunboats in Oriental waters neutralized the preponderance of Japan. Now our navy is the only one, it may be said, of any importance in these waters, except that of Japan.

CLARK HOWELL FOR VICE PRESIDENT.

While democracy is looking around for just the right man as a running mate for Mr. Bryan, it might not be out of place to call attention to the eminent fitness and availability of Hon. Clark Howell, of Georgia, the brilliant and sagacious editor of the Atlanta Constitution, the south's greatest newspaper.

Mr. Howell has demonstrated his equipment for high political place by a career of success as bright, probably, as has ever been achieved by any young man in the United States. Still in the early forties, he has since first reaching man's estate been the doer of big things.

Called by the untimely death of the lamented Grady to the editorship of the Constitution at an age when most young men are just beginning journalism, he assumed the responsibility with energy and courage, and although hampered by the greatness of his predecessor, and compelled by that greatness to reach high ideals, did so quickly and modestly, and while never disparaging the name and fame of Grady, advanced his paper with the growth of the city and state to heights never dreamed of in the early days of its existence.

While doing this work he found time to represent his city in the legislature, serving as speaker of the house and president of the senate several terms.

Since 1892 Mr. Howell has been national committeeman from Georgia, and his counsel and advice has been of great value to the party in all the campaigns since then. He is a brilliant orator, one of the most brilliant, perhaps, in the south today, and his personal fortune is large enough to permit him to make the race and fill the position with the dignity that should go with so exalted a place. The south deserves recognition at this time, with Bryan from the west, and it really seems as if Mr. Howell is by far the man of all others to select.

THE REAL MISSION.

As an advertising authority quoted by the Shoe and Leather Reporter says: "If you have a monopoly you can sit down and wait until people come to you. If you have competition you have got to go out to the people and tell them why they should patronize you instead of the other fellow."

As to the necessity of fighting for the trade in competitive lines this observation is unexceptionable. But it is not considered good business nowadays for even the monopolist to hide his light under a bushel, content with the fortune that Providence sends him.

The Standard Oil monopoly is a consistent advertiser. The steel trust monopoly is a regular user of newspaper space. The General Electric Co. long ago abandoned the policy of sitting down and waiting until people should come to it. The list might be continued indefinitely, but what's the use? It ought to be clear enough by this time that the primary purpose of advertising is not to get business away from a competitor—that's incidental. The real mission of good advertising is to create new business.

ABOUT BABY BILL.

The campaign has already begun, and indications are not wanting that the "eternal feminine" is about to leap into it "with both feet," so to speak. In a publication called the Ladies' Monitor is given a most interesting account of the babyhood of Secretary Taft. It is said a "sweeter baby than Secretary Taft never lived; when he was three months old he could call for his nurse, and when he reached the mature age of five years he began to play with leaden soldiers—a happy premonition of his future career as secretary of war and foremost champion of imperialism. There is much more of this early history which convinced the parents that "in Willie they possessed a baby who had a future."

Although this purports to have been written by a woman for women, there is some reason to suspect its authorship in one of the Byzantines of the Taft campaign committee. Was it Hitchcock or Vorys?

MR. BRYAN'S GREAT LEAD.

Mr. Bryan's lead in the race for the democratic presidential nomination increases from week to week, and, apparently, the opposition has given up all hope of defeating him, or of even preventing his nomination on the first ballot.

The attention of democratic politicians is now turned to the

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

STATE AUDITOR

LONG—The Democrat-Sentinel is authorized to announce John O. Long of Washington County as a candidate for state auditor, subject to the decision of the democratic primary election, August 4, 1908.

REPRESENTATIVE

FAST—The Democrat-Sentinel is authorized to announce W. Fast as a candidate for Representative in the legislature, subject to the decision of the democratic primary election, August 4, 1908.

PROSECUTING ATTORNEY

McGRUDER—The Democrat-Sentinel is authorized to announce Mark A. McGruder as a candidate for prosecuting attorney of Pettis county, subject to the decision of the democratic primary election, August 4, 1908.

LAWSON—The Democrat-Sentinel is authorized to announce C. C. Lawson as a candidate for prosecuting attorney of Pettis county, subject to the decision of the democratic primary election, August 4, 1908.

DOW—The Democrat-Sentinel is authorized to announce Harvey D. Dow as a candidate for the office of prosecuting attorney of Pettis county, subject to the decision of the republican primary election, August 4, 1908.

SHERIFF

CONNOR—The Democrat-Sentinel is authorized to announce James C. Connor as a candidate for sheriff of Pettis county, subject to the decision of the democratic primary election, August 4, 1908.

HENDERSON—The Democrat-Sentinel is authorized to announce Mel T. Henderson as a candidate for sheriff of Pettis county, subject to the decision of the democratic primary election, August 4, 1908.

GREER—The Democrat-Sentinel is authorized to announce E. H. Greer of Washington township, as a candidate for sheriff of Pettis county, subject to the decision of the republican primary election August 4, 1908.

AYERS—The Democrat-Sentinel is authorized to announce Rev. G. H. Ayres as a prohibition candidate for sheriff of Pettis county, subject to the will of the people.

ASSESSOR

GORELL—The Democrat-Sentinel is authorized to announce Clay R. Gorell as a candidate for assessor of Pettis county, subject to the decision of the democratic primary election, August 4, 1908.

HAITSHORN—The Democrat-Sentinel is authorized to announce David Hartsorn as a candidate for assessor of Pettis county, subject to the decision of the democratic primary election, August 4, 1908.

TREASURER

WARE—The Democrat-Sentinel is authorized to announce Lon V. Ware as a candidate for treasurer of Pettis county, subject to the decision of the democratic primary election, August 4, 1908.

CONSTABLE

GORDON—The Democrat-Sentinel is authorized to announce James Gordon as a candidate for constable of Pettis county, subject to the decision of the democratic primary election, August 4, 1908.

COUNTY JUDGE

KNOX—The Democrat-Sentinel is authorized to announce Charles W. Knox of Southton, as a candidate for Judge of Pettis county from the Eastern district, subject to the decision of the republican primary election, August 4, 1908.

second place on the ticket, and while there have been many rumors connecting John Mitchell with this place, it is now believed that the labor vote would not be especially pleased with such a choice. The claim is made that Mitchell would be more influential as governor of the state of Illinois, to which office he is said to aspire, than as presiding officer of the senate.

GOVERNMENT OWNERSHIP QUESTION.

A question which seems to agitate the minds of many politicians, both democratic and republican, is the platform which the democracy will make at Denver, and the claim is made that if it condemns government ownership of railroads, it can't nominate Mr. Bryan, and if it indorses government ownership, it will be tantamount to a surrender of the election in advance. Again, if it is silent on that question and nominate a man in favor of it, the party will have the burden of the issue to carry. It is generally admitted to be a knotty problem, and the question is, What will the convention do about it?

A REPUBLICAN TARIFF.

The trusts and manufacturers now want a tariff that would enable them to sell cheaper abroad than at home without being detected and still keep the monopoly of the home market for them, would indeed be a daisy. Democrats want a tariff as a means of collecting revenues, but the trusts and the manufacturers never think of that. They only think of monopolies and private gains.

MANILA ITEMS.

Manila, Mo., June 15.

Add Cordry is numbered among the sick this week.

Miss Freada Eno spent Friday evening with Miss Mella Jordan.

Miss Zulz Gaiter, of near Sedalia, is visiting her niece, Miss Stella Stevenson, this week.

Mrs. Mary Durrill, Mrs. R. M. Whippis and Mrs. Ella Jordan called on Mrs. W. B. Atwood Friday evening.

Mr. T. J. Jordan and son, Lester, were callers in Green Ridge Monday.

Misses Alta Blades, Ruth Floyd and Bessie Heffner, of Green Ridge, attended the Children's day exercises at this place.

Miss Nellie Funk spent Wednesday night and Thursday with Miss Dineola Bethards.

Misses Edna and Alta Durrill took supper with Misses Geneva and Mella Jordan Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Lasting Thouverniel, of near Stover, are visiting the latter's father, Fred Pittman.

The children's exercises at this place were well attended, and all reported a good time.

Several from this part attended the Children's day exercises at Ionia Sunday night.

MORA ITEMS.

Mora, Mo., June 16.

Fred Wagner was doing business at Cole Camp Monday.

Sedalia voted wet, and then it rained.

Several of our farmers began harvesting wheat Monday.

Mrs. Joe Geischen and son were Monday callers in Mora.

Dr. N. A. Schwald, of Cole Camp, was in this vicinity Saturday on professional business.

Justice Schwensen, who has a good stenographic position at Moberly, is visiting relatives in this section.

Ed Hoben and Arthur O'Farrell had business at Cole Camp Monday.

John H. Viebrock has the first ripe blackberries we have seen.

J. A. Sartin, D. V. S., of Cole Camp, and John Rotyanger, harness dealer, of the same place, were in this section Monday.

Hoak Bros. are busy this week drilling a well for George Francis.

George Dump and wife were trading in Sedalia Thursday. Martin Renken spent the day at the same place.

Monsees & Tranyott are drilling a well this week for Henry Brauer.

J. E. Bluhm, wife and daughter, Miss Ethel, attended children's day exercises at Antioch Sunday.

Miss Fuls, of California, Mo., has been selected instructor of the Cooper school for the coming term. There were sixteen applicants for this school.

J. W. Hicks and family, William Henry and wife, B. G. Lewis and family and Elmer O'Farrell and wife spent Sunday with B. A. Dump and wife.

DRESDEN ITEMS.

Dresden, Mo., June 16.

Miss Pearl Early, of Sedalia, was up Thursday and organized a music class.

Prof. Taylor and wife, the blind musicians, gave an entertainment at the Christian church Wednesday evening.

Mrs. J. C. Wilson and daughter, Mrs. G. L. Eckles, were shopping in the Queen City Saturday.

Lizzie Baldwin, of Lathonde, was visiting friends here Thursday.

Miss Jennie Keeney, of the Prairie neighborhood, spent Sunday and Monday with Mrs. T. H. Inghett.

Lillie Teener and sister, Mary, spent Sunday with Dixie Scott.

Mrs. Sam Adams, who has been very sick, is reported better.

Elmo Shroyer, of Lantone, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Walter Fowler.

Miss Maggie Leach, of Sedalia, is visiting friends here.

Mrs. J. T. Higgins, of Honstonia, spent Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Scott.

Mrs. Louis Lugin and family, of Smithton, are spending a few days with J. S. Bunnell and wife.

Mr. Sam Elbert, Homer Shacklett and wife, Della Kemp and Dot Cornelius, of Sedalia, spent Sunday with O. A. Stine and family.

Children's day exercises were held at the M. E. church, North, Sunday evening. The program could not have been improved upon. The music and decorations were splendid.

Miss Essie Callis had charge of the music, and Mrs. Wirt had charge of the decorations.

Impure blood runs you down—makes you an easy victim for organic diseases! Burdock Blood Bitters purifies the blood—cures the cause—builds you up.

"Doan's Ointment cured me of eczema that had annoyed me a long time. The cure was permanent."

Hon. S. W. Matthews, commissioner labor statistics, Augusta, Me.

Regulates the bowels, promotes easy, natural movements cures constipation—Doan's Regulets. Ask your druggist for them. 25 cents a box.

Baby won't suffer five minutes with cramp if you apply Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil at once. It acts like magic.

LOOKOUT ITEMS.

Lookout, June 16.

The farmers in this vicinity are busy cutting wheat.

Rev. Thompson filled his regular appointment at Union Sunday and Sunday evenings.

Miss Nora Barley is visiting friends in Sedalia this week.

Misses Alpha and Ada McMullin visited Misses Eula and Susie Phillips one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Birdie DeWitt spent a few days last week with Gas Holder and family.

Am Leftwich and family visited E. C. Leftwich last Sunday.

Misses Junette Barley spent Sunday with Miss Anna Clopton.

Several of the young people of this neighborhood attended children's exercises at Buncombe Sunday evening.

M. W. A. camp No. 7980 will give an ice cream social at the hall July

11. All are cordially invited to attend.

Mrs. J. W. Nichols and Mrs. D. P. Withers visited J. J. Ball Tuesday.

Harry Taylor, of Sedalia, is visiting D. McMullin this week.

There will be children's day exercises at Union the second Sunday in July.

D. McMullin and daughter, Ada, made a business trip to Sedalia Monday.

LAMINE ITEMS.

Lamine, Mo., June 16.

Harve Ellis made a business trip to Sedalia Friday.

Miss Grovye Burke spent Wednesday with Misses Josephine and Grace Veazey.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Norris spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Kahrs.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Ball spent Tuesday night with friends near Pilot Grove.

Misses Gladys and Naomi Baker spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Homer Norris, and attended the children's exercises at Providence.

Little Misses Bessie and Isabelle Burke spent Sunday with little Misses Etha and Elsie McMullin.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Ball spent Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Blythe, of Clifton City.

Several of the young folks of this place attended the children's night exercises at Providence on Sunday night.

Mrs. J. A. O'Bannon, of Clifton City, spent Monday with her sister, Mrs. J. J. Ball, who has been very sick for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Craddock and little son, Lowell, of Francis, Okla., are visiting Mrs. Craddock's mother, Mrs. M. A. Veazey this week.

VALDA, MO.

Valda, Mo., June 16.

Rev. Bruner filled his regular appointments at Pleasant Hill Friday and Saturday and at New Bethel on Sunday.

Mr. Sterling Harris and wife had as their guests over Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Gibson McMann and daughter, of Booneville.

Mr. Fred Meyers and family were transacting business in Sedalia Saturday.

B. F. Elliott, who has been on the sick list for some time, is improving.

Miss Lela Hamlett will entertain the young people Tuesday evening.

Mrs. S. A. White, who has been on the sick list for several weeks, is not so well. Dr. Bohling, of Sedalia, is the attending physician.

Miss Lulu Payne, who has been visiting Mrs. J. C. Martin, returned home Sunday.

Ralph Rhodes and wife and Arthur Farrell and wife attended services at New Bethel Sunday, and dined with L. J. Benjamin and family.

Miss Amy White and Mr. Berry Milburn attended children's day exercises at Antioch Sunday.

The farmers are feeling extremely blue over the corn crop. Quite a few are not done planting.

The young people will meet at Anderson school or New Bethel church Friday night to organize a singing school, with Rev. Walker as teacher.

Joe Embrey, of Sedalia, is visiting this week with his friend, Warren G. Stephens.

St. Louis Live Stock Market.

Special to the Democrat-Sentinel.

National Stock Yards, Ill., June 16.—Cattle receipts today, 10,000. Choice cattle active and strong; other kinds 10@20c lower; best steers, \$8.00 per cwt.; they were not prime. Best butcher heifers in full loads, \$6.65. Stockers and feeders in active demand, at strong values. There is unquestionably a decided shortage of good cattle, and splendid prospects for high prices for that kind to continue. Medium grades will sell lower, as the run of territory grassers increases.

Hog receipts, 11,500. Market generally steady with yesterday. Top hogs, \$5.80, practically all the good ones between \$5.60 and that price. Common light hogs not wanted, and hard to sell. Prospects about steady.

Sheep receipts, 10,000; market very dull and fully 25c lower. Top lambs, \$7.00; clipped lambs and yearlings, \$7.75; top sheep, \$5.25; outlook weak.

National Live Stock Commission Co.

HOUSTONIA ITEMS.

Houstonia, Mo., June 16.

Miss Angie Berry, of Sweet Springs, visited Mrs. T. A. Smith Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hardey and children, of Sedalia, spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives here.

Miss Flora McClure left Monday for a week's visit with friends in Marshall.

The Twentieth Century club gave a 6 o'clock dinner at Mrs. C. T. McConnell's home Monday evening, complimentary to Mrs. C. W. Grubbs, of Kansas City, Mr. and Mrs. C. L.

Summer Shoes For Children

Barefoot Sandals.
Canvas Oxfords.



Black and Tan Low Cuts.

All Styles—All Prices.

Wm. Courtney.

Hanley, of Sedalia, and W. E. Quisenberry, of Slater.

Dr. Maiden, of Kansas City, came in Saturday afternoon to attend the ice cream supper given by the ladies of the Baptist church at the town hall.

Mrs. Dora Berry and son, Clark, of Hughesville, are spending the week visiting friends here.

Dr. Ed Ferguson, wife and son, Tom, came in Tuesday morning to meet the former's mother, Mrs. Bettie Ferguson.

The ladies in the younger crowd gave quite a nice leap year party at McAllister Springs Tuesday. The invitations were quite clever and were gotten up by one of the young ladies.

Mrs. Billy Ferguson entertained the Twentieth Century club at luncheon Friday in honor of Mrs. C. W. Grubbs, of Kansas City.

P. L. Dorsey and wife entertained Roy Morris and wife, Jim Higgins and wife and Jay Dorsey and wife at dinner Sunday.

DUNKSBURG ITEMS.

Dunksburg, Mo., June 16.

Rev. C. W. West, of Knob Noster, was visiting friends here Thursday and Friday.

Mr. W. M. Lee and daughter, Mrs. Lora Curmuit, visited in Sedalia Monday.

Miss Ethyl Porter returned to the Warrensburg Normal Wednesday.

Mrs. John Hicklin visited her sister, Miss Ada Carmack, Thursday.

Mr. L. C. Souder and wife were shopping in Sweet Springs Thursday.

Mr. Walter Venerable, of Kansas City, is visiting his father-in-law, Mr. J. H. McGuire.

Dr. and Mrs. Tyler were in Sedalia Saturday.

Miss Reba Welch is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Elizabeth Welch.

Mrs. S. D. Porter is visiting her son, F. E. Porter, in Sweet Springs.

Messerly's

Ladies' Waists of daintiest laces and beautiful patterns, tastefully trimmed; in all sizes; a very special value at the price. We ask—\$1. Why worry over making a waist when you can get this kind at..... \$1

White Goods of latest texture, in dainty laces, plaids, and stripes; very much in demand for dresses and waists. We can sell you your white dress from 10c to 50c per yard and on up higher.

Did you know that our 10c Gingham are equal to the 12½c grade sold elsewhere? We sell all Calico at 5c.

C. E. MESSERLY
SECOND AND OSAGE.

WILL VOTE AT MEXICO

Election at Democratic Primary Legal, Judge Holds.

Mexico, Mo., June 16.—Judge James D. Barnett, of the Eleventh judicial district, handed down a decision in the circuit court here yesterday to the effect that the state Democratic primary is not such an election as would preclude a local option election.

The action was directed against the mayor and city council of Mexico, who refused recently to call a local option election. The case will be taken to the supreme court.

CURE YOUR KIDNEYS.

Do Not Endanger Your Life When a Sedalia Citizen Shows You the Cure.

Why will people continue to suffer the agonies of kidney complaint, backache, urinary disorders, lameness, headaches, languor, why allow themselves to become chronic invalids when a certain cure is offered them?

Doan's Kidney Pills is the remedy to use, because it gives to the kidneys the help they need to perform their work.

If you have any, even one, of the symptoms of kidney diseases, cure yourself now, before diabetes, dropsy or Bright's disease sets in. Read this Sedalia testimony:

Joseph Adams, blacksmith at 216 South Osage street., and living at 417 West Fifth street, Sedalia, Mo., says: "I was troubled for years with a constant misery in my back and sharp pains along the channel running from the kidneys to the bladder. During the night I would have to get up four or five times to pass the secretions, especially in cold or damp weather. I went to the W. E. Bard Drug Co., procured Doan's Kidney Pills and used them according to directions. After using three boxes I did not have to arise at night so frequently, and my back was free from pain and was stronger than it had been for a long time. From my experience I can say that Doan's Kidney Pills can be relied upon to bring beneficial results in all cases of backache and kidney trouble."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Change at Hotel Huckins

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

G. H. Lawrence, for several months manager of the Huckins hotel at Second and Lamine streets, accompanied by his wife, will leave tonight for Kansas City for a brief visit, after which they go to Dallas Falls, Va., where they will spend the summer.

F. S. Bartholomew, recently of Worcester, Mass., arrived last night and today assumed the management of the hotel for the Sedalia Hotel company.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence, while residents of this city, made numerous friends, all of whom will regret to see them leave the Queen City.

Attended Miss Eichoff's Funeral.

Mrs. H. H. Kroencke, Miss Gertrude Hoffmaster and William Gibbins went to Cole Camp Sunday to attend the funeral of Miss Katie Eichoff, who died on Thursday, the 11th, of appendicitis, aged 22 years. Amiel Eichoff, a brother, who is traveling with a theatrical company, arrived here Saturday and also attended the funeral, which was one of the largest ever held in Cole Camp, the procession to the burial ground being a mile in length.

SOME DEALS IN DIRT

TRANSFERS THAT HAVE TAKEN PLACE IN BOTH THE CITY AND COUNTY.

WHAT THE COUNTY RECORDS SHOW

Deeds That Have Been Filed in the Office of Recorder Morey During the Week Ending June 16th, 1908.

The following transfers of realty have been filed for record:

Martha E. Russell to Elsie M. Zuer, wd., property southwest corner of Fifth street and Washington avenue, \$5,000.

Mattie E. Masonhall et al to Martha E. Russell, wd., property north side Sixth street, between Brown and Summit streets, \$1,500.

John F. Fowler and wife to Smithson Bank of Smithton, wd., 30 acres of land in Washington twp., \$900.

Margaret Winzenburg to A. W. Winzenburg, wd., property north side Cooper street, between Moniteau and Osage avenues, \$250.

A. Baumgartner and wife to Karl Gerber, wd., property west side of Park avenue, between Twelfth and Fourteenth streets, \$65.

Karl Gerber and wife to Sarah and Isaac Gray, wd., property west side Park avenue, between Twelfth and Fourteenth streets, \$200.

Edgar A. McCurdy and wife to William H. Reynolds, wd., 639 acres of land in Lake Creek twp., \$27,720.

Mary C. Roemer to J. M. Licklider, wd., property north side of Fifteenth street, east of Thompson avenue, \$1,400.

West Side Improvement Co. to George and Rose L. Suter, wd., property west side Barrett avenue, between Eighteenth and Twentieth streets, \$1,450.

Charles D. Brown, exr., to Noah Rogers, exr., d., 37½ acres of land in Sedalia twp., east of city limits, \$3,000.

Lewis Pritchard and wife to R. A. Higdon, wd., undivided one-half interest in 84 acres of land in Blackwater twp., \$75.

W. A. Fast, trustee, to Thomas Perrin, Jr., d., property south side Twentieth street, near Osage street, \$65.

Roland A. Smith and wife to Rachel A. Jackson, wd., property in the town of Smithton, \$25.

John E. Jamison and wife to Elina E. Jamison, qcd., property northwest corner of Twelfth street and Lamine avenue, \$1, and other considerations.

Nancy E. Westlake to Charles H. and Ollie L. Schneider, wd., 80 acres of land in Lake Creek twp., \$2,500.

Lavinia S. Crotty and husband to Florence M. Cornwall, wd., property north side Pacific street, between Ohio and Lamine avenues, \$500.

Clara S. Muhrer to Florence N. Gornwell, wd., 80 acres of land in Lake Creek twp., \$2,500.

Theodore W. Meyer and wife to C. A. Arnold, wd., property northwest corner of Fourteenth street and Carr avenue, \$1, and exchange of property.

IN 15 YEARS, 30 CHILDREN.

Four of a Kind the Latest Arrivals in Farmer's Family.

GOTOFSKY BIRTH RATE.

The Gotofskys married April 5, 1892. Twins blessed them. March 22, 1893. Only one was born. 1894. Twins. 1895. Triplets. 1896. Twins. 1897. Twins. 1898. Twins. 1899. One. 1900. One. 1901. One. 1902. Twins. 1903, 1904, 1905. One each year. 1906. Triplets. 1907. Twins. 1908. Quadruplets. June 10, 1908. Thirty-count them—thirty in fifteen years, of whom fourteen are living.

New York, June 15.—Abram Gotofsky returned to his farm house near Troy Hills, N. J., last afternoon. The doctor met him at the door.

"Four," said the doctor.

"No," replied Gotofsky. "It's only half past three."

"Four fine boys this time," said the doctor, breaking it gently.

"Merciful gracious!" cried the farmer, dropping into a chair; "where do I get offsky?"

It was true. Mrs. Gotofsky, nee Gobrosky, had presented her husband with four tokens of her affection. The four boys weighed altogether sixteen pounds four ounces, and are perfectly formed, have well developed lungs and good appetites.

The attention of President Roosevelt is called respectfully to M. S. Gotofsky, who does not know what race suicide is. The attention of the trust-

New Location, New Pianos!

Largest store and largest stock of the best pianos ever shown in Central Missouri. Just arrived from the factory of the old reliable makers of Pianos, that you will appreciate, such as

KIMBALL, LUDWIG, SCHILLER, WHITNEY, BAUER, etc.

We invite all our old patrons and the public generally to visit us in our new location.

S. R. PAYNE
PIANO HOUSE
510 Ohio St.

tees of Andrew Carnegie's "hero fund" is called, with equal respect, to Mr. Gotofsky. They have had thirty children in fifteen years, as per time table above. Fourteen survive.

Gotofsky is 40 years old; his wife 32. They first met on the vessel that brought them to this country, in 1891, and were married in New York city. Gotofsky, a farmer in the old country, borrowed some money and bought eighteen acres of land between Pine Brook and Troy Hills, N. J. He has cultivated the fruitful soil so industriously that he owns thirty-eight acres now without a penny mortgage on them.

They Were Married on Sunday.

A very quiet wedding was held yesterday afternoon in the parlors of the Richardson hotel, in which Mrs. Alice Richardson, of Clinton, was united in marriage to Oscar M. Haynes, of Sedalia, says Monday's Clinton Democrat.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. R. Burchfield, of the Presbyterian church. About forty relatives and immediate friends of the family were present, filling both of the parlors.

Mr. and Mrs. Haynes left last night for a visit in Kansas City and Excelsior Springs. The best wishes of many friends will be warmly extended.

You Should Know This.

Foley's Kidney Remedy will cure any case of kidney or bladder trouble that is not beyond the reach of medicine. No medicine can do more. Arlington Pharmacy.

Stockholders' Meeting.

A meeting of the stockholders of the Morey-Crawford Abstract and Title Guarantee Co. is called to be held at the office of the company, No. 419 South Ohio street, in the city of Sedalia, Pettis county, Missouri, on the 3rd day of July, 1908, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of electing directors and transacting any other business which may be brought before the meeting.

JOHN MONTGOMERY, JR., President.

A. R. EASTON, JR., Secretary.

Will Move to Columbia to Live.

T. W. Bast, of Sedalia, one of the best known architects in Missouri and designer of many fine buildings in Central Missouri, will move to Columbia to reside and educate his four children, says Monday's Columbia Tribune. Mr. Bast is the architect of the state fair and other large buildings. He will move over at once.

HERE'S A REMEDY

That will restore your appetite, aid digestion, and prevent any distress, such as Belching, Bloating, Heartburn, and Headache. We refer to Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. For 54 years it has been proving its merit and since we guarantee it pure you ought to try it today.

HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS

Will also cure and prevent Poor Appetite, Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Liver and Kidney Troubles and Female Ills.

MINISTER WARNS GIRLS

REV. JOSEPHUS STEPHAN ADVISES THEM NOT TO WEAR DIRECTOIRE GOWNS.

CAUTION CAUSES MANY TO SMILE

A Preacher in St. Louis Thinks It Is Expedient to Follow Fashion in Dress Within Reasonable Limits.

St. Louis, Mo., June 15.—While admitting that the warning was scarcely necessary, Rev. Josephus Stephan, in a special sermon to young women at the Shaw avenue Southern Methodist church, last evening warned them against the director gown, about which so much has been said recently. Mr. Stephan is himself a Frenchman, but he knows the gown only through casual reading about it, he says, in the daily papers, and inspecting by chance the pictures which illustrate the gown.

The immodesty and unbecomingness of this new garb, according to ministerial eyes, were used as an illustration by Mr. Stephan of what young ladies ought not to be. The references to the director came at the beginning of the sermon, and occasioned smiles among his hearers. Mr. Stephan said that he did not suppose anybody in his congregation would ever wear a gown like that, or even think about wearing one, but such gowns and the spirit of them ought to be carefully guarded against.

The minister counseled the young women, who filled many pews at this service, that the true adornment of womanhood came from within, and did not consist in fine-fitting garments, or jewelry, or complexion washes. The minister said he did not intend to make a tirade against dress, and he thought it expedient for young women and others to dress in conformity with the fashions, within reasonable limits. But the virtues of the inner life, reality, purity, sincerity and goodness, would shine from within to beautify the possessor, and her serious thoughts should be set upon these rather than upon the extremes of worldly fashion.

FARMER IS KILLED BY WIFE

Charles Ray Was Carrying Gun When He Was Shot.

Joplin, Mo., June 16.—Charles Ray, a farmer, living near here, was shot and killed by his wife, Fannie Ray, shortly after noon yesterday.

The fatal shot was fired from the second-story window of the Ray home, a shotgun heavily loaded with buckshot being used. Ray was carrying a shotgun himself at the time of the shooting.

Ray had left the field and was going into the house yard, carrying a double-barreled shotgun. Upon seeing his wife at a downstairs window he is alleged to have said, "Now I have got you."

Mrs. Ray rushed to a second-story window and fired the fatal shot. Trouble has been brewing in the Ray household for many months. A divorce suit has been pending in the circuit court.

Mrs. S. L. Bowen of Wayne, Va., writes: "I was a sufferer from kidney disease so that at times I could not get out of bed, and when I did I could not stand straight. I took Foley's Kidney Remedy. One dollar bottle and part of the second cured me entirely. Foley's Kidney Remedy works wonders where others are a total failure."

Deserted Actress Departs.

Mrs. Gladys Strole, a stranded actress, who came to Sedalia from Kansas City to locate her husband, James A. Strole, a street car conductor, who deserted her two weeks ago, returned to Kansas City this morning, having failed to locate Strole.

Wets Carried De Soto.

The wets carried the local option election in DeSoto Tuesday by a majority of 371. In the last half a dozen elections held in Missouri the wets have been victorious in only one, that held at Cameron last week.

Back at the Plant Again.

Fred Philipps, who since last Saturday has been confined to his home on South Moniteau avenue, suffering from stomach trouble, was able to resume duties at the plant of the Sweet Springs Creamery company today.

Magazines for the Hospital.

The ladies in charge of the City hospital would very much appreciate donations of reading matter, magazines, etc., which are of no present value to their possessors. Their usefulness to patients are very great and

help convalescents in the institute to pass away many a dreary hour.

We don't try to deceive by fancy ads or mysterious name. Simply Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea, made millions strong, healthy and happy, where other remedies failed. You'll not regret trying it. 35 cents, tea or tablets. W. E. Bard Drug Co.

Off on a Fishing Trip.

(From Tuesday's Daily.) Henry Blatterman, "Tot" Savage and "Cuter" Atkins left this morning for Clifton City to join a fishing party and will remain until the last of the week.

PROVIDENCE ITEMS.

Miss Annie Pollard, visited with Jessie Anderson Thursday.

Miss Birdie Hood, of near Lookout, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. J. G. Stamberger.

Miss Jessie Anderson spent Sunday with Miss Selita O'Neill.

Rev. and Mrs. M. S. Humphrey visited with Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Hudson Tuesday.

Miss Peggze, of Sedalia, and Miss Myrtle Spaitis, of near Beaman, visited with Mrs. P. G. Stuart Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. E. W. Wood was shopping in Sedalia Saturday.

Claude Carter visited with his father near Beaman Sunday.

Henry Mahken and family visited with J. K. Lacey and family Sunday.

Mrs. J. G. Stamberger visited with her brother near Lookout last week.

John Cook and family, of near Smithton, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Hudson.

Mr. A. P. Smith is giving his large barn a new coat of paint.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Anderson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Stuart.

Mr. Eugene Wood and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Wood.

Miss Ruth Potter, of Lamine, has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Herman Wood.

Misses Leleta O'Neill and Jessie Anderson were shopping in the Queen City Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Hedges attended the Children's day exercises at Olive branch Sunday night.

Messrs. J. G. Stamberger, J. L. Anderson, P. G. Stuart and George Stamberger were shopping in the Queen City Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Stuart made a business trip to Beaman Monday.

Dr. Fogle and bride, of Clifton City, were visitors at Providence Sunday night.

Quite a large crowd attended the Children's day exercises at this place Sunday night.

Miss Mata Gardner, of Beaman, was a visitor in this neighborhood Sunday evening.

It's the happiness of the whole big world.

Its praises loud are heard; It's made life happy, healthy and bright.

It's Rocky Mountain Tea taken at night. W. E. Bard Drug Co.

Executrix' Notice.

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Frederick Schmidt, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the third day of March, 1908, by the probate court of Pettis county, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the executrix within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication they shall be forever barred.

This 17th day of June, 1908.

ELISA SCHMIDT, Executrix.

Meeting of the Carmen.

Missouri Pacific Lodge No. 97, Brotherhood of Railway Carmen, will hold a mass meeting in the criminal court room at the court house Thursday night of this week to discuss the strike situation.

Business and professional men are invited to attend.

Wanted.

Every person who has any real estate or any other property to sell or exchange, either city property or farm land, to list it with Weinrich & Stambaugh, 305 South Ohio street, Sedalia. Bell telephone No. 402.

JEFFERSON IS WET BY 2,240.

De Soto and Valle to Vote on Question Tomorrow.

De Soto, Mo., June 15.—A report of the local option vote in Jefferson county shows a victory for the wets by a majority of 2,248.

The election, outside of De Soto, was held Saturday. The vote by townships was:

Big River township, 129 dry; 219 wet. Central, 121 dry; 296 wet. Joachim, 434 dry; 1,001 wet. Meramec,

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AN OPPORTUNITY TO GET THEM JUST WHEN YOU NEED THEM AT THESE REMARKABLY LOW PRICES. EACH AND EVERY SKIRT HAS BEEN MANUFACTURED EXPRESSLY FOR US, WHICH ASSURES YOU OF THE BEST OF WORKMANSHIP, STYLE AND MATERIAL. NOT THE USUAL NARROW, "SKIMPY" KIND BUT CUT LIBERALLY FULL. SPECIALLY PRICED FOR THIS SALE.

1.25 Nicely tailored line skirt, in full gored flare style, with folds or pleated effect and strap trim.

1.49 Several different styles in flare and pleated effects; plain or strap trim.

1.75 Exceptional value in well tailored skirt; full flare style with 2 wide folds; regular \$2.50 value.

1.98 Six different styles in strictly tailored effects; flare and pleated styles with tucks, straps and folds.

2.75 Fine quality pure linen, handsomely tailored and finished in deep pleats and two wide folds for trimming; usually sold at \$3.50.

3.48 Pure linen skirt, artistically tailored and finished in straps and pleats; regular \$5.00 garment.



finished in straps and pleats; regular \$5.00 garment.

4.48 Fine quality white silk; full flare style, with fold trimming at bottom.

ALL SKIRTS FITTED FREE AND WE GUARANTEE SATISFACTION IN EVERY ONE.

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REV. G. H. AYERS ANNOUNCES

Will Make the Race for Sheriff as a Prohibitionist.

The Democrat-Sentinel this evening contains the announcement of Rev. G. H. Ayers for sheriff of Pettis county on the prohibition ticket.

Mr. Ayers has resided in Sedalia nine years, coming here from Texas, where he was a cowboy for thirteen years, and during the time he has lived here he has been active in business during the week and preaching gratuitously wherever called on the Sabbath, being a minister of the World's Faith Missionary association of Iowa.

He is a consistent prohibitionist, and while advocating the cause strenuously lives in his own life, never indulging in intoxicants even in a moderate way.

For the nine years he has been in business on Osage street he has always absolutely refused to sign any petition for a saloon license.

He has a wide circle of friends, being a member of the M. W. A., Ben Hur, I. O. O. F. and Maccabees, and will, by reason of his beliefs, character and personal friendships, make a very formidable candidate for the position to which he aspires.

BLUE LAW CASE CONVICTION

Notwithstanding Kansas City Verdict 200 Will Be Dismissed.

Kansas City, Mo., June 16.—After deliberating an hour, a jury in Judge Porterfield's court last afternoon returned a verdict of guilty against Thomas Taaffe, a ticket seller at the Century theater. The jurors assessed his fine at \$1 and costs. It was the first test case of the Sunday closing law.

Only one witness testified. The rest of the time was taken up by arguments.

Taaffe was indicted by the grand jury for working on Sunday, March 29. The trials of Sunday theater cases will continue this week.

Bert Kimbrell, assistant prosecuting attorney, dismissed forty-seven Sunday theater cases yesterday because of insufficient evidence. About 200 more cases probably will be dismissed today.

In Our Own Strength.

Our safety lies not in our institutions, but in ourselves.—George William Curtis.

MANY HEAR COWHERD SPEAK

Defends University and Normals in Brookfield Address.

Brookfield, Mo., June 16.—The coming of W. S. Cowherd, democratic candidate for governor, last afternoon caused the greatest political enthusiasm Brookfield has witnessed in a present campaign.

A large audience greeted him at the opera house last night and vigorously applauded his defense of the state university and district normal schools.

Mr. Cowherd was unable, on account of high water to reach Lamine, the county seat, for his appointment yesterday morning.

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A SAFE AND RELIABLE BLOOD PURIFIER

In the time of our forefathers the forests and fields were the only laboratories from which they could procure their medicines. They searched out and compounded the different roots, herbs and barks into remedies, many of which have been handed down to succeeding generations, and continuously used with satisfactory results. Among the very best of these old time preparations is S. S. S., a medicine made entirely from roots, herbs and barks, in such combination as to make it the greatest of all blood purifiers. This absolute vegetable purity of S. S. S. makes it the one medicine that may be used without fear of harmful results in any way. Most blood medicines on the market contain mercury, potash, or some other strong mineral. These act with bad effect on the system, upsetting the stomach, interfering with the digestion, affecting the bowels, and when used for a prolonged period of time often cause salivation. No such effects ever result from the use of S. S. S., and it may be taken by children as safely as by older people. For Rheumatism, Catarrh, Sores and Ulcers, Malaria, Scrofula, Skin Diseases, and all other troubles caused by impure or poisoned blood, S. S. S. is a perfect remedy. It goes down into the circulation and removes all poisons, impurities, humors or unhealthy matter, and makes the blood pure



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BRYAN IS CERTAINLY "IT"

THE SO-CALLED CONTEST OVER DEMOCRATIC DELEGATES SIMPLY FARFICAL.

THERE'RE NOW 145 UNINSTRUCTED

Of Sixty-Four Elected During Week Neither Johnson Nor Gray Got One—Nebraskan Now Has 631 Instructed.

Strength of W. J. Bryan and Allies at a Glance.

- Total membership Denver convention, 1,008.
- Necessary to nominate (two-thirds), 672.
- Results of the Week: Delegates elected instructed for Bryan, 64.
- Total for the week, 64.
- Recapitulation to Date: Instructed for Bryan, 631.
- Uninstructed, but for Bryan, 145.
- Yet to be elected, but for Bryan (probably), 117.
- Instructed for Johnson, 22.
- Instructed or classified for Gray, 35.
- Uninstructed, probably anti-Bryan, 37.
- Uninstructed, unclassified, 6.
- Yet to be elected, probably anti-Bryan, 5.
- Yet to be elected, doubtful, 10.
- Total delegates, so far elected, 876.
- Yet to be elected, 132.

Washington, June 15.—A summary of the so-called contest over delegates to the democratic national convention.

vention this week shows that William J. Bryan is still getting everything in sight. As a contest it is a farce. For Mr. Bryan it is merely a summer evening parade.

During the last week sixty-four delegates were elected. They came from: Kentucky, twenty-six; Virginia, twenty-four; Oregon, eight, and Utah, six. Governor Johnson, of Minnesota, did not get a delegate; Judge Gray, of Delaware did not get a delegate. The Bryan sentiment swept everything. All sixty-four were instructed to vote for the Nebraska leader.

The contest in Virginia, which has been shaking that state from tide water to the mountains, culminated in the state convention at Roanoke Thursday. By the time the delegates had assembled it was evident that the Bryan men had routed the faction headed by Thomas F. Ryan and Senator John W. Daniel.

An estrangement between Senator Daniel and Mr. Bryan began in the Willard hotel in Washington, last winter, during one of Mr. Bryan's numerous visits to the national capital. Senator Daniel found fault with Mr. Bryan for dictating to the democratic party and for following the advice of radical and irresponsible thinkers rather than of Democrats of long standing. Mr. Bryan did not like it. Both men lost their good nature and parted without shaking hands.

Senator Daniel was beaten in the contest for delegate to the state convention, and at Roanoke, after instructions were passed, he was required to pledge himself to obey those instructions before being elected a delegate to the national convention.

Mr. Bryan has thus far 631 instructed delegates and 145 delegates not instructed, but classed for him. This makes a total of Bryan delegates already elected of 776, 104 more delegates in the Bryan bag than the necessary two-thirds. Of the delegates yet to be elected, 117

are probably for the Nebraskan. If there are all carried by Mr. Bryan his majority in the convention will be 893.

In view of the continuance of the steady "set" of the tide toward Bryan these figures are really conservative. New York, which is not instructed, is still classed for Bryan. No changes have been made in the developments of the week in the strength of the other candidates. Governor Johnson has Minnesota's twenty-two delegates. Judge Gray has thirty-five delegates instructed or classed for him.

MR. BOTHWELL IN CHICAGO

Asked About Injunction Plank in Republican Platform.

Chicago, Ill., June 16.—John H. Bothwell, vice chairman of the Missouri republican state committee was asked about the injunction plank in the platform.

He declared there were many who believed there should be a declaration favoring legislation limiting the powers of the courts in injunction cases relating to labor conflicts.

There are republicans who oppose any declaration that would be at variance with the attitude of the present congress, or which would interfere with the power or change the practices in such matters.

The committee will likely settle the issue, but it is possible there might be such a conflict in ideas in the committee as to result in a minority report to be passed upon by the convention.

WOMEN'S TRADE UNIONS

The Foe of Standard Oil Calls Man "Our Common Enemy."

Chicago, June 16.—Declaring the combination of modern women for the purpose of demanding their rights would eventually bring success, Miss Ida Tarbell, foe and historian of the Standard Oil Co., urged the formation of more unions in an address before the Women's Trades Union league here.

"I have never been in a trade," said Miss Tarbell, "but I have toiled for more years than I care to tell. And I've had to fight our common enemy—man."

Miss Tarbell is the guest of Mrs. Raymond Robbins, president of the league, during the republican national convention.

A Day in the Country.

(From Tuesday's Daily.) Twenty-five members of the Ladies' Missionary society of the Broadway Presbyterian church went to Benman this morning for a day's outing at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Henry Evans.

WIFE'S DREAM WAS TRUE

WROTE A LETTER BEGGING HUSBAND TO RETURN HOME IMMEDIATELY.

BUT THE WARNING WAS NOT HEED

Missive Found on Body of A. C. Gregg, Who Had Been Lured to the Hills—Suspect Has Been Arrested.

Chattanooga, Tenn., June 16.—A letter found upon the body of A. C. Gregg, of Mount Vernon, Tenn., a traveling salesman who was murdered and his body hidden in a lonely spot in the hills discloses the fact that his wife had actually forecasted in a dream two weeks previous to his death the fate that awaited him, and warned him that he would be enticed to a remote place and shot to death. The letter begged him to return home to her.

There was also a postscript from his little daughter, Mary, begging him to prepare to die, warning him that her mother had dreamed he would be killed.

The letter from the woman relates that on the night previous she had seen him decoyed to a spot on the side of a creek, which she described, and there shot and killed by a man who disposed of the body by throwing it into the water.

The woman asserted that the scene had been depicted to her so clearly that she was certain she could identify the murderer, if his death occurred according to her dream.

When Mrs. Gregg arrived in Chattanooga to attend the funeral of her husband she was asked about her remarkable vision by the officers, who had recovered the letter. She again related the circumstance of her dream, describing the murder as she had seen it.

The surroundings were identical with those in which the body of Gregg had been found. Her description of the murderer tallied with the description of Lon Hatfield, whom the officers had placed under arrest, charged with the murder of Gregg, circumstantial evidence having pointed to him, as the guilty man. Mrs. Gregg at that time had never seen Hatfield. The officers decided to put her to a further test.

Placing Hatfield, dressed as he was when captured, inconspicuously among a dozen other men, Mrs. Gregg was brought into the room and asked to pick out the man whom she had seen in her dream. Mrs. Gregg scanned the assemblage of men before her carefully, and, without hesitation, pointed her finger at Hatfield and related again the incidents of her dream in the presence of Hatfield, who was visibly affected by the recital.

Mrs. Gregg says that practically all the important incidents of her life have been disclosed to her in dreams previous to their occurrence. She has come to place great faith in her visions.

Independent of the disclosures of the woman, the officers have been working steadily on the case. They have succeeded in collecting together a chain of circumstantial evidence which will not only implicate Hatfield, but others. Hattie James, a girl of 20, and almost as pretty as Mrs. Gregg herself, has already been arrested for complicity after the fact.

Suspicion pointed to the James woman after the officers had succeeded in weaving the chain of evidence around Hatfield. A presumably unimportant clue led them to the house in which the girl resided.

When asked if she knew the dead man she answered that she knew him well enough; that she was engaged to be married to him, the wedding to have taken place within a few weeks.

A search of the premises resulted in the finding of a paper bag in the young woman's trunk in which was a collar covered with mud with the name of the accused on the inside, a vest on which there were blood spots and a bloody tie.

WEDS IN AIR TO GET FORTUNE

Man Finds Girl With Courage to Comply With Bequest.

Westboro, Mass., June 16.—To win \$10,000 offered him by his uncle if within a year he marries a woman "with plenty of courage," M. A. Alexander is preparing to wed Miss H. P. Bottomly, of this town, high in the air in a balloon.

When Alexander's uncle, John Graham, of Cresco, Iowa, made him this offer, he cast about some time before he hit upon the present scheme. Then a week ago he asked the local agricultural society for permis-

sion to make a balloon ascension with a young woman at the Worcester fair. When his story appeared he received scores of letters from women of all ages.

Among the candidates he picked Miss Bottomly and yesterday they met at the girl's home here. Both were suited.

County Clerk's Notice of Primary Election.

STATE OF MISSOURI.

County of Pettis.

Notice is hereby given that a primary election will be held at the regular polling places in each precinct of said county of Pettis, and that the polls will be open between the hours of 7 o'clock in the morning and sunset, on the first Tuesday of August, 1908, being the 4th day of August, 1908, for the purpose of nominating candidates for state, district, county and township offices, to be voted for at the general election to be held on Tuesday, 3rd day of November, 1908; that the hereinafter mentioned list contains the name and postoffice address of each candidate for nomination, together with a designation of the office for which he is a candidate and the party or principle that he represents as the same appears from a certificate from the secretary of state and from nomination papers on file in my office as required by law.

Republican Ticket.

Governor—Hadley, Herbert S., Jefferson City, Mo.
Lieutenant Governor—Gmelich, Jacob F., Boonville, Mo.
Secretary of State—Swanger, John E., Milan, Mo.
State Auditor—Tolerton, Jesse A., Branson, Mo.
State Treasurer—Maring, Wilber F., Jefferson City, Mo.
Attorney General—Fulkerson, Frank B., St. Joseph, Mo.
Gentry, North T., Columbia, Mo.
Railroad and Warehouse Commissioner—Colman, Amos L., DeSoto, Mo.
Washburn, H. H., Cape Girardeau, Mo.
Wilder, William W., St. Genevieve, Mo.
Judge of the Supreme Court—Cox, Argus, Leola, Mo.
Higbee, Edward, Kirksville, Mo.
Park, John G., Kansas City, Mo.
Judge of Kansas City Court of Appeals—Davis, Arch B., Chillicothe, Mo.
Meservey, Edwin C., Kansas City, Mo.
Representative in Congress for Seventh Congressional District—Taubman, Edwin M., Lexington, Mo.
Whitaker, John, Weaubleau, Mo.
State Senator for Fifteenth Senatorial District—Hall, Holmes, Sedalia, Mo.
Representative—Anamosa, George W., Sedalia, Mo.
Fast, Wilson A., Sedalia, Mo.
County Judge Eastern District—Blumh, Dietrich, Smithton, Mo.
Knox, Charles W., Smithton, Mo.
County Judge Western District—Curnutt, John M., Sweet Springs, Mo.
Prosecuting Attorney—Dow, Harvey L., Sedalia, Mo.
Sheriff—Carpenter, Leander, Sedalia, Mo.
Greer, Ezekiel H., Green Ridge, Mo.
Jenkins, Benjamin F., Sedalia, Mo.
County Treasurer—Viets, Truman T., Sedalia, Mo.
County Assessor—Deweese, Andrew G., Sedalia, Mo.
McVey, Charles F., Sedalia, Mo.
Roberts, David, Sedalia, Mo.
Sullivan, Philip, Sedalia, Mo.
County Surveyor—Moss, Harry O., Sedalia, Mo.
Public Administrator—Pregge, John H., Sedalia, Mo.
Coroner—Morley, Frank R., Sedalia, Mo.
Justice of the Peace, Dresden Township—Steinwald, Fred, Dresden, Mo.
Constable, Sedalia Township—Adkins, James Isaac, Sedalia, Mo.
Dixon, Joseph, Sedalia, Mo.
Houck, William E., Sedalia, Mo.
Jackson, Charles W., Sedalia, Mo.
Krusse, John H., Sedalia, Mo.
Kahrs, Louis H., Sedalia, Mo.
Mason, William H., Sedalia, Mo.
Constable, Bowling Green Township—Glenn, Ollie H., Beaman, Mo.
Constable, Dresden Township—Barrow, Ireby D., Dresden, Mo.
Constable, Hughesville Township—Bridge, James N., Hughesville, Mo.
Constable, Flat Creek Township—Gilmore, Alonzo H., Sedalia, Mo.
Constable, Smithton Township—Jones, John L., Smithton, Mo.
Constable, Heaths Creek Township—Raines, William P., Nelson, Mo.
Robbins, Hiram F., Nelson, Mo.
Constable, Green Ridge Township—Teeter, James S., Windsor, Mo.

Socialist Ticket.

Governor—Garver, William L., Chillicothe, Mo.
Lieutenant Governor—Sargent, U. F., Springfield, Mo.
Secretary of State—Baker, Frank, Poplar Bluff, Mo.
State Auditor—Foster, Frank, Hannibal, Mo.
State Treasurer—Eherton, Guy E., Kansas City, Mo.
Attorney General—Williams, John F., West Plains, Mo.
Railroad and Warehouse Commissioner—Barnesley, U. S., Monett, Mo.
Judge of Supreme Court—Pope, L. G., St. Louis, Mo.
Judge of Kansas City Court of Appeals—Lipscomb, Caleb, Liberal, Mo.
Representative in Congress for Seventh Congressional District—Behrens, E. T., Sedalia, Mo.
State Senator for Fifteenth Senatorial District—McQuiddy, Robert H., Sedalia, Mo.
County Judge Eastern District—Allison, Jonathan H., Longwood, Mo.
County Judge Western District—Hartenbach, Charles F., Georgetown, Mo.
Prosecuting Attorney—Barnett, John W., Sedalia, Mo.
Sheriff—DeWitt, Marcus, Sedalia, Mo.
County Treasurer—Fisher, John O., Sedalia, Mo.
County Assessor—Curnutt, William H., Sedalia, Mo.
County Surveyor—Youngman, Josiah F., Sedalia, Mo.
Public Administrator—Scholten, Frederick R., Sedalia, Mo.
Coroner—Smith, Hugh, Sedalia, Mo.
Constable of Sedalia Township—Knaus, James M., Sedalia, Mo.

Democrat Ticket.

Governor—Ball, David A., Louisiana, Mo.
Cowherd, William S., Kansas City, Mo.

Evans, William N., West Plains, Mo.

Stapel, Henry F., Rockport, Mo.
Wallace, William H., Kansas City, Mo.

Whitecotton, James H., Paris, Mo.

Lieutenant Governor—Anderson, Ben M., Columbia, Mo.
Kelly, Walter A., St. Louis, Mo.

Leazenby, William H., Bethany, Mo.
Painter, William R., Carrollton, Mo.

Simmons, H. J., Clarence, Mo.
Tubbs, Arthur J., St. Louis, Mo.

Secretary of State—McGrath, Michael K., St. Louis, Mo.
Roach, Cornelius, Carthage, Mo.

State Auditor—Bradley, John L., Desloge, Mo.
Dierkes, Bernard, St. Louis, Mo.

Gordon, John P., Lexington, Mo.
Hiller, Frank A. J., St. Louis, Mo.

Long, John O., Potosi, Mo.
State Treasurer—Cowgill, James, Kansas City, Mo.

Attorney General—Major, Elliott W., Bowling Green, Mo.

Railroad and Warehouse Commissioner—Bronaugh, Warren C., Clinton, Mo.

Hall, Richard L., Springfield, Mo.
Knott, John A., Hannibal, Mo.

Smith, William M., Kirkwood, Mo.
Threlkeld, H. C., Shelbyville, Mo.

Winters, Nova J., Milan, Mo.
Judge of Supreme Court—Graves, Walter W., Butler, Mo.

Shelton, Nat M., Macon, Mo.
Judge of Kansas City Court of Appeals—Ellison, James, Kansas City, Mo.

Representative in Congress for Seventh Congressional District—Hamlin, Courtney W., Springfield, Mo.

Haseltine, Seward A., Springfield, Mo.

State Senator for Fifteenth Senatorial District—Barnett, Orville M., Sedalia, Mo.

Representative—Carroll, Matthew V., Sedalia, Mo.
Johnston, Elijah E., Sedalia, Mo.

County Judge Eastern District—Myers, William B., Smithton, Mo.
County Judge Western District—Haggard, Andrew L., Sedalia, Mo.

Prosecuting Attorney—Lawson, Claude C., Sedalia, Mo.
McGruder, Mark Austin, Sedalia, Mo.

Sheriff—Connor, James C., Sedalia, Mo.
Henderson, Melville T., Sedalia, Mo.

County Treasurer—Ware, Lon V., Sedalia, Mo.
County Assessor—Gorrell, Clay R., Sedalia, Mo.

Hartshorn, David Timothy, Sedalia, Mo.
County Surveyor—Camp, H. Rives, Sedalia, Mo.

Public Administrator—Miller, Robert T., Sedalia, Mo.
Justice of the Peace, Dresden Township—Mitchum, John A., Dresden, Mo.

Representative—Constable, Sedalia Township—Gordon, Thomas, Sedalia, Mo.

Love, James E., Sedalia, Mo.
Winner, Charley M., Sedalia, Mo.

Constable, Heaths Creek Township—Curry, William R., Longwood, Mo.
Jenkins, Charles, Longwood, Mo.

People's Party Ticket.

Governor—Dillon, William A., Marling, Mo.

Lieutenant Governor—Donnohue, H. C., Appleton City, Mo.

Secretary of State—Burrus, James M., Kansas City, Mo.

State Auditor—Alexander, C. L., Farmington, Mo.

State Treasurer—Letcher, F. W., Marshfield, Mo.

Attorney General—Artz, Henry H., St. Louis, Mo.

Railroad and Warehouse Commissioner—Riley, James W., Madison, Mo.

Judge of Supreme Court—Judge of Kansas City Court of Appeals—

Representative in Congress for Seventh Congressional District—State Senator for Fifteenth Senatorial District—

STATE OF MISSOURI.

County of Pettis.

I, M. L. Imhoff, clerk of the county court within and for the county of Pettis, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct list containing the names and postoffice address of each candidate, together with a designation of the office for which he is a candidate, the party or principle he represents, and the hours during which the polls will be open.

In testimony whereof, I hereunto set my hand and affix the seal of the county court. Done at office in Sedalia, this 15th day of June, 1908.

(SEAL) M. L. IMHOFF,

Clerk of the County Court.

Prohibition Ticket.

Governor—

Farris, Herman P., Clinton, Mo.

Lieutenant Governor—Payne, Montia I., Webster Groves, Mo.

Secretary of State—Botts, James F., Lancaster, Mo.

State Auditor—McLaughlin, George C., Sedalia, Mo.

State Treasurer—Terry, Bishop O., Green Castle, Mo.

Attorney General—

Railroad and Warehouse Commissioner—Fulkerson, James M., Frederickton, Mo.

Judge of Supreme Court—Off, Jonathan P., Holden, Mo.

Judge of Kansas City Court of Appeals—

Representative in Congress for Seventh Congressional District—

State Senator for Fifteenth Senatorial District—

Representative—

Williams, J. Fred., Sedalia, Mo.

County Judge Eastern District—Montgomery, William, Smithton, Mo.

County Judge Western District—

Prosecuting Attorney—

Sheriff—Ayers, George H., Sedalia, Mo.

County Treasurer—Shaeffer, Charles A., Sedalia, Mo.

County Assessor—

County Surveyor—Chappell, William C., Sedalia, Mo.

Public Administrator—Wadleigh, Everett, Green Ridge, Mo.

Coroner—Glassburn, Sylvester, Green Ridge, Mo.

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Letcher, F. W., Marshfield, Mo.

Attorney General—

Artz, Henry H., St. Louis, Mo.

Railroad and Warehouse Commissioner—

Riley, James W., Madison, Mo.

Judge of Supreme Court—

Judge of Kansas City Court of Appeals—

Representative in Congress for Seventh Congressional District—

State Senator for Fifteenth Senatorial District—

STATE OF MISSOURI.

County of Pettis.

I, M. L. Imhoff, clerk of the county court within and for the county of Pettis, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct list containing the names and postoffice address of each candidate, together with a designation of the office for which he is a candidate, the party or principle he represents, and the hours during which the polls will be open.

In testimony whereof, I hereunto set my hand and affix the seal of the county court. Done at office in Sedalia, this 15th day of June, 1908.

(SEAL) M. L. IMHOFF,

Clerk of the County Court.

Another Victim of Wreck.

(From Monday's Daily.)

Col. Thomas J. Lingle, of Clinton, was among the M. K. & T. wreck victims near there Saturday night, but his name was omitted from the list of injured. He was returning from a trip to Vinita, and his right shoulder was badly hurt, there possibly being a fracture. A telephone message from Clinton this morning says that all of the wreck victims there are getting along nicely and will recover.

Visiting in the Country.

Major and Mrs. R. J. Taggart, of Pittsburg, Pa., are visiting the family of W. A. McNulty, three miles southwest of Sedalia, and will remain for several weeks. Mrs. Taggart is a sister of Mr. McNulty.

Mrs. T. L. O'Brien, of Woodward, Ok., is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. A. McNulty, three miles southwest of Sedalia.

Remodeling a Building.

The McGinley building on Ohio avenue, formerly occupied by the Boston Cafe, is being repaired and repainted, preparatory to Mrs. J. W. Mallery removing her millinery stock into the place. Dr. Ormond will occupy the building to be vacated by Mrs. Mallery.



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and upwards. Terms, \$10 to \$25 cash; balance easy monthly installments.

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MISS DAVIDSON IS HELD

FIRST DEGREE MURDER CHARGED AND BOND FIXED AT \$5,000.00.

NOW IN CUSTODY OF THE SHERIFF

May Furnish Bond Today—Details of Ramsour Killing Told at Neosho Hearing—Sister Found in a Convent.

Neosho, Mo., June 16.—Miss "Johnny" Davidson, 18 years old, late last afternoon was bound over to the circuit court on the charge of murder in the first degree, of Roy Ramsour, discarded suitor of her 23-year-old sister, Grace.

After the preliminary hearing Justice of the Peace David Bales fixed bail at \$5,000, which probably will be furnished today.

Miss Davidson was in the sheriff's custody last night. Almost simultaneously with the justice's decision, advices from Joplin, Mo., eighteen miles north, stated that the officers had succeeded in finding Miss Grace Davidson, after a search of six days.

Miss Grace, also one of the four heiresses to the \$200,000 estate of their grandfather, William Davidson, a pioneer banker of Louisville, Ky., was found in a convent, where, last Tuesday night she sought refuge under the immediate care of the mother superior, to whom she became attached two years ago while attending the Catholic institution. Miss Grace disappeared from her home after dark Tuesday, three days following the tragedy which cost the life of a scion of one of the pioneer families of Newton county.

Witnesses subpoenaed by the state testified that Miss Bessie Davidson, or as she is more familiarly called, "Johnny," shot when Ramsour a third time refused to retract an epithet. Grace, according to testimony of eye-witnesses, also saw her sister's action, and watched Ramsour plunge forward, grappling with his assailant. Both fell to the ground, the man with a bullet hole in his chest and his windpipe punctured, on top.

Grace screamed, and warningly exclaimed: "Hold her, Roy, and get the revolver." The woman ran towards the struggling man and girl and seized the revolver, which, it was said, was laying near. She hurried forward, rushing into the home of G. Williams, next door, where the prosecution contends the revolver was later found on a chiffonier.

According to the testimony of state witnesses, Ramsour, intoxicated, was passing the Davidson home, accompanied by Maurice McNeal, 13 years old, of Columbus, Kan. Grace was sitting in a lawn swing. Ramsour and the boy joined her.

"Johnny," the confidant of her elder sister, resented the intrusion, upbraiding Ramsour for his consideration. Ramsour had always blamed "Johnny" for the estrangement with Grace, and at sight of her his anger arose. He spoke a short, ugly word. The heiress' face flamed. He struck her.

She went into the house, told her mother, walked 300 yards to the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Hancock, and came back with a revolver.

"You will take that back," she said, her face white and hard, "or I shall kill you."

Twice she repeated her declaration and as many times Ramsour murmured inarticulately. Upon her third demand he said:

"You'll have to kill me then."

Seven state witnesses say "Johnny" fired the revolver she was pointing toward Ramsour and that then they grappled.

REMEMBERED "J. WEST"

A Present of a Gold Watch From Pensacola, Florida.

Col. J. West Goodwin, who recently organized at Pensacola, Fla., a Citizens' Alliance, comprising a membership of 1,000, to contest against the strike of street car men, the organization of which alliance resulted in the strike being declared off. Saturday received as a token of esteem from the members of the alliance a beautiful solid gold watch, open face, with Swiss movement, handsomely engraved, and to which was attached a neat chain.

The watch bears on the outside of the case the engraving, "J. W. G." while the following engraving is on the inside of the case: "Presented to Col. J. West Goodwin by the Citizens' Alliance of Pensacola, Fla., May, 1907."

An explanatory letter accompanied the watch, being sent by F. M. Whiting, secretary of the Alliance.

LUNG DISEASES

Spring Coughs Are Dangerous

They indicate that there is something radically wrong. All persons suffering from an attack of the "grippe" during the past winter, should beware. More fatalities and chronic diseases of the continuous session throughout the Lungs, Heart, Liver and Kidneys night, had completed its report, and many grave nervous disorders would be ready to give it to the care directly traceable to the effect of these malignant "grippe" germs than presenting a minority report had all other causes combined. These malignant germs have a way of settling in the deeper structures and port there was a parade of clubs then setting up conditions that resist the ordinary methods of treatment. We, as specialists, pride ourselves on being able to overcome this most formidable enemy of mankind our famous

Inhalatorium Treatment

It is the most scientific treatment ever devised for all diseases of the air passages and the long list of affections that follow the after effects of the "grippe." It is the most energetic method known for speedily eradicating the germs of diseases from the system. 'Tis a great blood regulator and a rebuilder of the tissues and as a part of our modern Americanized European methods it is useful in a wide range of disease. We give you relief the very first treatment and do it without loading your stomach with drugs. We cure you by the only natural way. Direct medication applied directly to the diseased surfaces by our wonderful Inhalatorium Cabinet.

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Need have no further terrors, for you need not fear the oncoming of the Great White Plague—consumption—if you consult us in time. You can be cured more cheaply here than a trip to the mountains. Do not think that because you have failed to get relief by the ordinary methods that we can not cure you. We have the only Inhalatorium Cabinet in this part of the state, and it has gained a wide reputation. Many come from a distance to avail themselves of this remarkable cure. Come and let us demonstrate the workings of this wonderful machine.

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MR. KNOX FOR COUNTY JUDGE

Well Known Merchant-Farmer of Smithton Seeks County Office.

The announcement of the candidacy of Charles W. Knox, of Smithton, for the nomination of county judge of Pettis county from the eastern district appears in this issue of the Democrat-Sentinel.

Mr. Knox is a merchant and farmer, owning a general store at Smithton and a productive farm just at the outskirts of the town. He has lived in that community for many years, and is one of the best and most successful residents there, both as a merchant and farmer, and holds the respect and esteem of all who know him. He is recognized as a representative citizen in his community and is generally regarded as a most conservative man. He has never held a public office except in an honorary way and then it was when identified with good roads, in which he is especially interested.

Politically Mr. Knox is a republican. He is a member of the republican county central committee and is one of the hardest workers in the field when the chance presents itself.

Mr. Knox's general qualifications will receive the best considerations from democrats who know him personally and from republicans who owe their support to him.

GUNNESSES TO BE BURIED

Bodies of Mother and Children to Be Sent to Chicago.

La Porte, Ind., June 17.—The bodies of Mrs. Belle Gunness and four children, who lost their lives in the destruction of the Gunness house on April 28, were yesterday ordered by Coroner Mack turned over to the public executor who has arranged for shipment of the bodies to Chicago for burial next Thursday in Forest Home cemetery, in accordance with a request made by Mrs. Gunness in her will.

NOTHING DONE TODAY

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thump and announced Rev. Wm. O. Waters, of Chicago, a young athletic looking clergyman, who read a

prayer from a well-worn prayer book. Harry Dargerty, of Ohio, from the committee on credentials, next announced that the committee, after a deep seated chronic diseases of the continuous session throughout the night, had completed its report, and many grave nervous disorders would be ready to give it to the care directly traceable to the effect of these malignant "grippe" germs than presenting a minority report had all other causes combined. These malignant germs have a way of settling in the deeper structures and port there was a parade of clubs then setting up conditions that resist the ordinary methods of treatment. We, as specialists, pride ourselves on being able to overcome this most formidable enemy of mankind our famous

While awaiting the credentials retreating in the deeper structures and port there was a parade of clubs through the hall, amid scenes of great enthusiasm. Presently we heard the tap of drums from outside the hall and in another second the east door opened and in came a band heading a parade. They halted in front of the speaker's stand for an instant, playing "America." Close behind came the American club, of Philadelphia, and the Knox club, of Philadelphia.

The aisles of the hall were congested, while Pennsylvania filled the air with cries of "Knox." Then in order followed the American Tariff club, of Pittsburg, headed by a large band and followed by the Young Men's Blaine club, of Cincinnati. The latter wore tall white hats and carried small American flags.

When this club appeared there was a frenzy in the Ohio delegation and instantly every man was on his feet waving flags and cheering. The Illinois club came next, bearing "Canon" banners, which elicited much cheering.

Each successive state club was greeted with renewed and wild cheering.

Finally, at 1:17, the credentials committee report was presented and adopted. It scats all the present delegates.

Quickly after this the report of the committee on rules and permanent organization was adopted, and at 1:55 Senator Lodge began his speech as permanent chairman.

Senator Lodge's Address.

After praising the republican party Senator Lodge closed his speech with a tribute to President Roosevelt in the following words:

The president has enforced the laws as he found them on the statute book. For this performance of his sworn duty he has been bitterly attacked. It was to be expected. Vested abuses and profitable wrongs cry out loudly when their entrenchments are carried, and some one is sure to be hurt when the bayonets of the law are pushed home. In the great American electorate money has few votes, but it can command many voices and cause many birds to sing. The result is that the president is the best abused and the most popular man in the United States today. He has been more abused than any president except Washington, Lincoln and Grant. He possesses the love and confidence of the American people to a degree never equaled except by Lincoln and Washington. May it not be said, in sober truth, that the fear less performances of a sworn duty is not without its exceeding great reward?

But the work has not ceased with the enforcement of existing laws. A republican congress and a republican president have placed new laws upon the statute books, designed to carry out the republican policy of government regulation in a safe, reasonable and effective manner. The Elkins law, aimed at preferential rebates, which have been the curse of our transportation and our business; the railroad rate law, which made the supervision of railroads more effective, and the pure food law, which has been, in the highest degree, beneficial to the masses of our people, are all monuments of the policy and the labors of the republican party.

The president, who has led his party and the people in this great work, retires, by his own determination, from his high office on the fourth of March next. His refusal of a renomination, dictated by the loftiest motives and by a noble loyalty to American traditions, is final and irrevocable. Any one who attempts to use his name as a candidate for the presidency impugns both his sincerity and his good faith, two of the president's greatest and most conspicuous qualities upon which no shadow has ever been cast. That man is no friend to Theodore Roosevelt and does not cherish his name and fame who row, from any motive, seeks to urge him as a candidate for the great office which he has finally declined. The president has refused what his countrymen would gladly have given him: he says what he means and means what he says, and his party and his country will respect his wishes as they honor his high character and great public service.

But, although the president retires, he leaves his policies behind him. To those policies the republican party stands pledged. We must carry out as we have begun, regardless alike of the radicals of reaction and the radicals of revolution. We must hold fast to that which is good while we make the advances which the times demand.

We ask for the confidence and support of the American people because we have met the problems of the day and have tried patiently to solve them. We appeal for votes and the power they confer because we uphold the president's policies and shall continue to sustain them. We make our appeal with confidence because we have a well defined policy and are not, like our opponents, fumbling in the dark to find some opinion on something.

We believe in the maintenance of law and order and in the support of the courts in their rights and dignity. We believe in equal rights for all men and are opposed to special privileges for any man, or any class of men, high or low, rich or poor. We, who established the gold standard, are pledged to the cause of a sound finance. We stand for protection to American industry and American labor, and we will resist all the assaults of free trade under whatever name it comes disguised.

We will see to the defense of the country. We mean to have a navy worthy of the American name. We seek peace and friendship with all the nations, but alliance with none. Yet, we have no intention of being a "hermit nation." The great services of the president to the world's peace will be continued by the party which he has led. We are a party fit to rule and govern, to legislate and administer, and not a fortuitous collection of atoms whose only form of thought or motion is to oppose.

Above all, we are true to our traditions and to our past; true now as we were in the days of Lincoln. In this spirit we must prevail—by this sign we must conquer.

When Senator Lodge said that the president was the best abused but most popular man in the United States today the most enthusiastic demonstration thus far seen in the convention occurred. After two minutes of cheering the whole convention rose in tumultuous cheering and flag waving, and for several minutes the demonstration continued undiminished. While nearly all the delegates were on their feet the Ohio delegation remained silent, but later when reference was made to Taft another tremendous demonstration ensued, that lasted for many minutes.

Cummins Wants Vice Presidency.

Chicago, June 17.—"Cummins or Fairbanks for vice president" was the cry of the Cummins supporters at the beginning of today's activities, adding that Fairbanks will not take the nomination if tendered, and if he would take it the administration would not accept him as Taft's running mate. The supporters of the vice president urged that under such pressure as it likely to be brought to bear upon him, Fairbanks would not be able to refuse to permit the use of his name. Iowa supporters of Cummins are increasing in number and began today with an earnest effort to obtain the support of the full delegation for their man.

What President Gompers Wants.

Chicago, June 17.—President Gompers, of the American Federation of Labor, appeared before the subcommittee this morning and argued in favor of a plank pledging the republicans to enact laws guaranteeing the right of wage earners to organize without being considered an illegal combination, a plank against the labor injunction, one declaring for a general employers' liability act, one in favor of eight hours work for all government employees, one for submitting a constitutional amendment providing for woman suffrage for ratification to the states and one creating a department of labor and a bureau of mines and establishing postal savings banks.

W. R. Ward, of Dyersburg, Tenn., writes:

"This is to certify that I have used Foley's Orino Laxative for years without a doubt to be a thorough practical remedy for this trouble, and it is with pleasure I offer my conscientious reference." Arlington Pharmacy.

Vote in Hull-Prouty Contest.

Des Moines, Ia., June 16.—The Hull-Prouty congressional contest in the Seventh Iowa district still hangs, in the balance, with the prospects that the ultimate decision will have to be made in the courts. As a result of the recount the vote stands at a tie.

The City Given a Verdict.

At Smithton, Monday afternoon, in the case of the City of Sedalia against R. C. Dolph, suit for the rent of Liberty park hall as a skating rink, a jury in Justice Sommerville's court returned a verdict for \$165 and costs, the amount of the suit.

Women's Newest 1908 Suits 1/2 Regular Price



Undoubtedly the most unusual offer this store—noted for its big offerings—has ever made, offering you strictly man-tailored, MADE IN NEW YORK, newest 1908 model suits, the choicest garments in the suit store, for less than the actual makers' cost of material and trimming, or less than you would pay a dress-maker for the making alone.

These suits are in the late BUTTERFLY, PRINCE CHAP, Long Coat, Pointed Cutaway, Jumper and Eton suit models; are made in Jap sleeves and regular shapes; tight-fitting, semi-fitting and loose back; all have the latest skirt fashions, made with graduated folds, kilted and circular effects.

32 Suits In All In the Lot—Positively No Two Styles Alike

\$50.00 Suits.....	25.00	\$25.00 Suits.....	12.50
\$40.00 Suits.....	20.00	\$20.00 Suits.....	10.00
\$35.00 Suits.....	17.50	\$17.50 Suits.....	8.75
\$30.00 Suits.....	15.00	\$12.75 Suits.....	6.38



Sale of Latest All-Over Net and Silk Waists At Greatly Reduced Prices.

\$17.50 to \$13.75 Waists	8.98
\$10.00 to \$8.50 Waists	6.98
\$7.50 to \$5.98 Waists	4.98
\$7.75 to \$5.98 Waists	3.98
\$5.00 to \$3.98 Waists	2.98

The waists are made of newest fillet net, cable net, fish net, man-tailored Swiss taffeta, etc., and are all the latest and best shapes of the year. They are sold at these unusually large reductions because it is inadvisable for us to carry such a large variety of fine waists at this season of the year. You will find a style show in this waist sale that is authoritatively correct and up-to-date in point of variety and splendor. The illustration is but one out of over fifty styles equally desirable.

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The Sedalia Cubs Won.

The Sedalia Cubs, probably the strongest ball club in Sedalia, went to Holden Sunday and played the team there, the Sedalians winning by a score of 3 to 2 in ten innings.

The features of the game were the pitching of Tom Davenport and the heavy hitting of Clem, a line drive by him in the tenth inning winning the game. The hits were: Sedalia, 9; Holden, 3. The Holden club is made up of good players and the contest was well worth witnessing.

Mr. Menden Is Better.

(From Tuesday's Daily.) Word received last evening from the bedside of J. L. Marsden, in Kansas City, whose illness with heart trouble has been noted in these columns, was to the effect that he was slightly improved.

Katy Sued for Big Sum.

The case of T. P. Bush, of Parsons, against the Katy will be tried at Sherman, Texas, this week. Bush was formerly a fireman on

the road and is suing for something over twelve thousand dollars, on account of injuries which impaired his eyesight.

OFFICIAL SHORT \$60,000

Treasurer Declares He Is Ready for Punishment.

Bloomington, Ind., June 16.—Developments last night prove that City Treasurer Axtell is \$60,000 short. No one seems to know what has become of the money, and he himself does not even attempt to explain it. He said he realized the position he was in and that he could not make up the money now due the city. He was willing to take his punishment. His wife has given up her personal property, including diamonds. Axtell is a Presbyterian church and degree Mason and the Indiana Orator. Prosecuting Attorney he will not even charge against him. He will insist

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50 dozen pairs of women's fast black hose; splendid value; wholesale clearance price, pair.....

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9c

Men's and women's fancy hose, in list and lace; newest effects; all colors; 35c value—special.....

17c

The largest stock, most beautiful patterns and the biggest bargains in wash goods we ever had.

3 Umbrella Snaps

You can buy in this sale 75c steel rod umbrellas for.....

44c

Splendid \$1.50 umbrellas; durable; fancy handles; on sale.....

99c

A specially fine lot of women's silk parasols; exquisite handles; \$3.50 value offered in this sale.....

2.69

IS CAUSING A SENSATION.

Sample lot of women's duck skirts; other stores' \$1.25 kind; here only.....

75c

A splendid value in women's white poplin and pleated panama skirts, worth.....

1.87

Beautiful English panama or voile skirts; they're \$8.50 values; on sale.....

5.87

ALTERATIONS FREE.

\$1.50 WAISTS, 87c.

Persian lawn waists, all-over embroidery front; also the Merry Widow styles; \$1.50 value; in this sale, choice 2c styles.....

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Millinery Sacrificed!

Mid-summer styles. Prices one-third to one-half cheaper now than at any other time.

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1c

100-yard 10c silk thread.....

7c

5c bundle good hair pins.....

1c

25c cuff buttons, pair.....

5c

Dainty embroidered kerchiefs.....

4c

A BIRTHDAY GATHERING

Master Forrest Collins Celebrated His 13th Anniversary.

Master Forrest Collins quite pleasantly entertained a number of his friends Saturday evening from 7:30 until 10 o'clock in honor of his 13th birthday.

To prove that he isn't in the least superstitious, he invited thirteen girls and thirteen boys, and thirteen Japanese lanterns were used in decorating the yard.

In the peanut hunt, Helen Settle won the prize, she having found the greatest number, and William Cunningham was awarded the booby prize.

A very enjoyable evening was spent and Master Forrest received quite a number of beautiful presents. Those present were as follows:

Florence and Beulah Wilson, Margaret Martin, Helen Settle, Marjorie Marquis, Maude Gentry, Irene and Mildred Slagle, Helen Fennell, Ruth Vogel, Melita Murrill, Julia Gardner, Bertha Henderson, Edgar Berry, William Boult, William Rose, Leland Cooney, John Gentry, William and Robert Cunningham, Harry Burton,

Roscoe Elton, Elmer Henry, Elmer Swingle, Edward Fennell, Harry Holcroft.

Refreshments of ice cream, cake and fruit were served. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Collins and Mr. and Mrs. John Murrill assisted in entertaining.

Mrs. S. Joyce, Claremont, N. H., writes: "About a year ago I bought two bottles of Foley's Kidney Remedy. It cured me of a severe case of kidney trouble of several years standing. It is certainly a grand good medicine, and I heartily recommend it."

The Death of a Little Boy.

(From Wednesday's Daily.)

Master Robert McNamara, the 3½-year-old son of Mrs. Isabella McNamara, whose husband, Harry McNamara, a former M. & K. T. engineer, died less than four years ago, succumbed to an attack of measles, which later developed into whooping cough, at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Keck, 314 East Third street, at 10:30 o'clock this morning.

The child had been ill three weeks. Medical attention proved of no avail, and the child died at the hour stated. Funeral arrangements have not been made.

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YOUNG GIRL IS MISSING

GRACE DAVIDSON, WANTED AS A WITNESS, LEFT HER HOME LAST TUESDAY.

FAMILY HISTORY IS INTERESTING

Relatives of the Young Heiress at Neosho, Missouri, Intimate That They Do Not Know Her Whereabouts.

Neosho, Mo., June 15.—Sheriff W. B. Phillips and his deputies have exhausted every effort to find Miss Grace Davidson, whose whereabouts on the eve of her sister's preliminary trial today for killing Roy Ramsour is baffling friends of the heiresses as well as those of the morning family.

When Sheriff Phillips last night announced his inability to serve a subpoena on the 23-year-old girl, who discarded the suitor slain a week ago by her 13-year-old sister, Bessie, familiarly called "Johnny," it was learned Miss Grace left her home last Tuesday after dark and has not been seen since.

The sheriff's deputies have searched and scoured Southwest Missouri for two days, leaving nothing undone, to find the girl as a state's witness. Inquiry at the Davidson home deepened the mystery surrounding the disappearance of one of the four girls who will share a \$200,000 estate, left by their grandfather, William Davidson, a pioneer Louisville banker.

The widowed mother was "not at home." The plaintive expression of beautiful "Johnny," as she demurely shook her head, apparently added to the theory that the girl had been spirited away.

The shooting of Ramsour and the disappearance, three days later, of the girl upon whom he had once been permitted to shower attentions have surcharged the ordinarily quiet atmosphere of placid Neosho with a sensationalism it has not experienced since the town was the Confederate capital of Missouri, and has focused attention upon all persons involved. A sketch of the family history has developed an interesting story in which fortune and adventure are more or less romantically woven.

It was in the early eighties when Charles Edgar Davidson, a typical Kentucky cavalier, came to Neosho from the Blue Grass state. He was the son of a Louisville banker, and with the charm of southern chivalry and the glamour of southern prodigality, he early became one of the picturesque and widely known characters of Southwest Missouri. The elder Davidson, presumably aware of the "soldier of fortune" temperament of the son, devised his estate in such a way that it should be kept intact for the grand children, his son being limited to the interest of his share of the property.

The same provision applied to a sister, Mrs. Paul Shipley, who is still alive at Beverly, N. J. Mrs. Shipley has no children, consequently the entire estate of \$200,000 comes to the four children of Charles Edgar Davidson, when the youngest child, Miss "Johnny," reaches the age of 25. It is this girl who today will face the charge of killing Roy Ramsour.

The elder Davidson was reckoned a Beau Sabreur in the days when Kentucky gallantry and knighthood were in their fullest flower. William Davidson was one of the brilliant figures in the southern capital's Vanity Fair.

It was in this environment of gaiety and revelry and light hearted frivolity that Charles Edgar Davidson spent his early boyhood. And he brought the charm of old Kentucky and its open-door hospitality to Southwest Missouri, where at Neosho, his home, he became the prince host to all he met.

Two years ago Charles Edgar Davidson died. The family continued to live at Neosho, where the children, sole heirs to the William Davidson estate grew to womanhood. Two of the girls married. Mrs. Blackstone lives in Oklahoma, and Mrs. Price, the other married daughter, makes her home here.

Miss Grace Davidson, the girl with whom Roy Ramsour was said to have been infatuated, is exceptionally beautiful. It is said that young Ramsour, one time friend of the heiress, had been a favored suitor, had gotten into bad habits last year and that his attentions had become so annoying that Miss Grace had requested him never to call on her again. At any rate, according to report, Ramsour was no longer a welcome guest, and it is surmised Miss Grace had made a confidante of her younger sister as to how she felt toward Ramsour.

When the young man called at the Davidson home a week ago and began quarrelling with Miss Grace, the

younger girl requested Ramsour to leave. The details of what followed, culminating in the fatal shooting of Ramsour, will be told at the trial, which promises to become the cause celebre of Newton county.

The state, which will be represented by Prosecuting Attorney Thomas Saxton and Walden & Andrews of Joplin, contemplated making one of their strongest witnesses out of the missing sister. Twelve year-old Morris McNeal will testify. He was the only eye-witness.

The defense will be conducted by George R. Clay, of Joplin, assisted by former Congressman M. E. Benton and Horace Ruark. It is said that a bottle of carbolic acid carried by Ramsour and emptied upon the Davidson lawn by "Johnny" will figure conspicuously in the trial.

LAMONTE ITEMS.

Lamonte, Mo., June 17. A. D. Toomay, of Warrensburg, arrived Monday night for a short visit here.

Joe Welborn, who has been attending the Morrisville academy, is home to spend his vacation. Miss Bessie O'Bannon, who has been visiting here, returned to her home in Sedalia Friday. She was accompanied home by Miss Lorine O'Bannon.

Misses Gertrude Wade, Mary Guthrie and Mrs. C. E. Terry left Sunday afternoon for a visit in Kansas City. Mrs. Gano and baby arrived Thursday for a short visit with her sister, Mrs. W. T. Cobb.

Miss Katie Staples spent Saturday and Sunday with home folks.

Miss Elizabeth Gregory, who is attending the State Normal at Warrensburg, spent Saturday and Sunday at home.

Ray Gillum visited friends in Warrensburg Monday. Mrs. White and daughter, Miss Anna, of Sedalia, visited here Monday. W. T. Chatham and J. R. Ramey returned home last Thursday from Guyman, Okla. They speak well of that country and each purchased 160 acres of land while there.

Shop Hands on Full Time.

Two thousand shop employees of the Union Pacific railroad were yesterday placed on full time, after working short time since January 1.

At Union Pacific headquarters in Omaha it was stated that other departments which were cut down a few months ago will be augmented about July 1.

McGraw Draws Suspension.

New York, June 16.—John J. McGraw, manager of the Giants, was last afternoon notified by President Pulliam of the National league that he had been suspended from the game for three days. The cause of the suspension was the little verbal set-to the manager had with Umpire Johnson in Saturday's game.

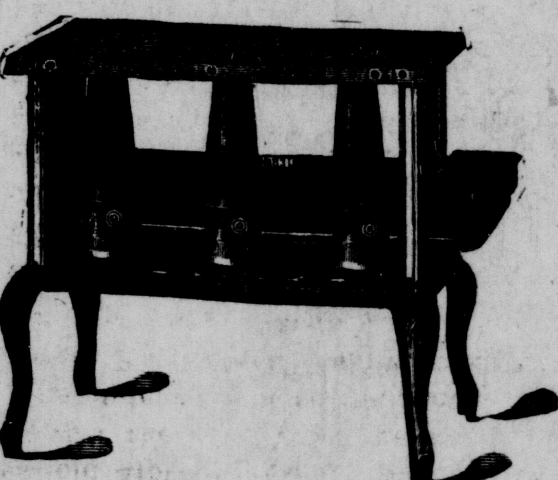
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German School Opened.

(From Tuesday's Daily.) The parochial school of the German Evangelical church, conducted by the pastor, was opened this morning. It will continue for two months, the branches of study being German reading, writing, catechism and Bible stories.



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FRANK GOTCH IS AT HOME

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PUT HIS HOME TOWN ON THE MAP

The Man Who Easily Defeated the "Russian Lion" When the Odds in Sporting Circles Were Two to One Against Him.

Humboldt, Ia., June 16.—Perhaps to a portion of the outside world the town of Humboldt has seemingly gone crazy over honoring its world-famed wrestler, Frank A. Gotch. And perhaps to many, this belief was fully corroborated beyond the shadow of a doubt when this city gave up a whole day last week for the purpose of giving Frank a rousing reception upon his arrival in the home town, after his match with Hackenschmidt.

It remained for Gotch to put Humboldt's on the world's map. It was already firmly anchored on Iowa's before he began doing things. The big world outside the region of Humboldt knows Gotch only second-hand, through the newspapers. Humboldt citizens know and are known by Frank by way of the first name.

Most of Gotch's friends in Humboldt (only limited by the town's 2,000 inhabitants) have watched his development from a mere ambitious country boy, endowed with a fair physical makeup, through the long tiring grind of a wrestler's apprenticeship. They can remember away back in 1899 when he wrestled and won his first real bout, and of his famous match with Dan McLeod.

It was science and speed against strength and speed and the former won. Gotch went down after an hour of grueling, but he never cried enough. Dan was thunderstruck at the boy's work and when he saw "Farmer" Burns shortly after he told him to "look out for that young Dutchman near Humboldt, when you go through Iowa."

Farmer Burns did keep his eyes open. He met Gotch, defeated him and then took his find home with him for training. Gotch was an apt student. But the story of his career is too long to follow in detail. Suffice it to say that during his nine years of work he has lost only five matches out of the thousand and more he has had.

Two to McLeod and Burns in 1899; one practically taken from him by Jenkins in Cleveland, 1905, and another to Jenkins in 1905, when out of condition, and a fifth to Fred Beel in New Orleans in 1906, when Gotch was knocked out by an accidental blow on the head.

Gotch is to be in Humboldt only a few days more when he leaves to fulfill other engagements. A trip to Europe, going on the stage, a match with Doc Rolfer, possible matches with some of the foreign wrestlers, a good summer vacation here at home, with a good hunting trip this fall are a few of the things occupying Frank's attention at present.

"WET" MAJORITY WAS 848

Result Known Few Minutes After Polls Closed.

(From Friday's Daily.)

By their votes at the local option election Tuesday the people of Sedalia decided by a majority of \$48 in a total vote of 3,808 in favor of the licensed saloon in preference to prohibition.

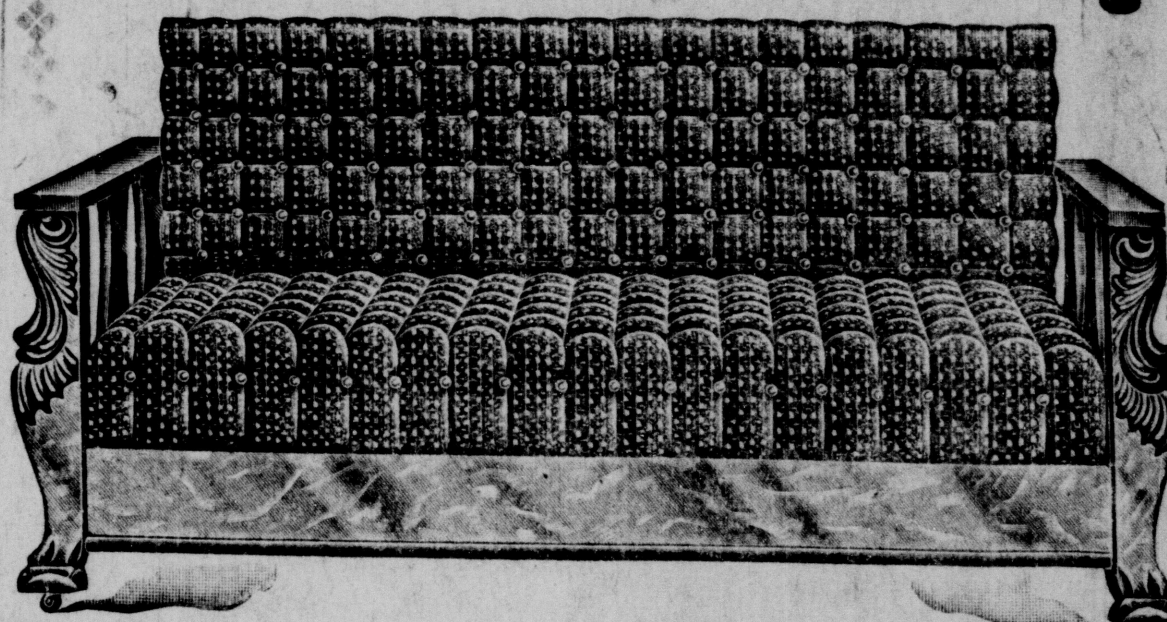
The result was known a few minutes after the polls closed at 7:23 o'clock, but there was no attempt at a celebration upon the part of the victors. The saloons did not reopen last night, as many drys expected them to, and if there was an intoxicated individual upon the streets he was not seen by Democrat Sentinel reporter.

The victory was a decisive one for the wets, and the result except as to majority would have been the same had the colored vote been eliminated entirely. The vote in the four wards of the city, follows:

Wards	Vote	Majority
First ward—		
Wet	807	524
Dry	475	321
Second ward—		
Wet	475	321
Dry	154	
Third ward—		
Wet	540	37
Dry	512	
Fourth ward—		
Wet	497	
Dry	541	44
Total wet	2,328	
Total dry	1,480	
Wet majority	848	

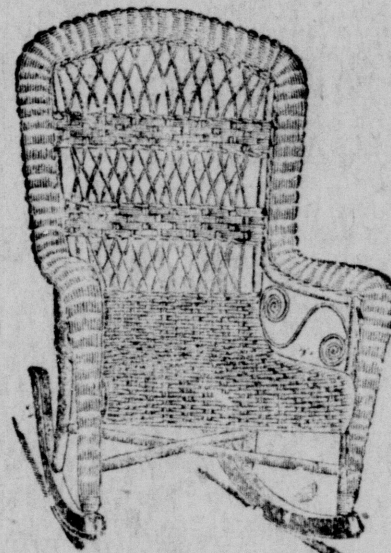
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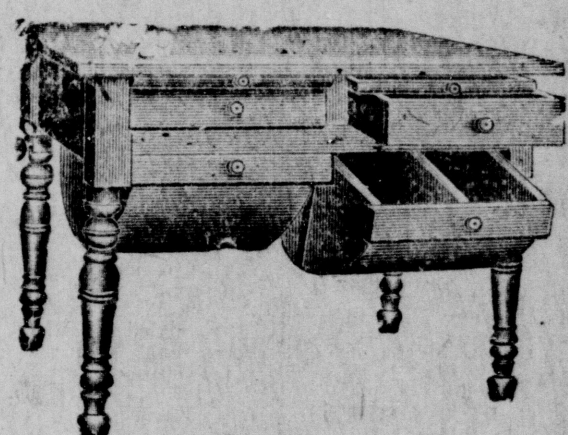
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Entertained by Mrs. Reynolds.

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

Mrs. W. H. Reynolds, 820 West Seventh street, was hostess this morning to a company of twenty ladies, complimentary to Mrs. H. H. Hyatt, of Kirkwood, Mo. The color scheme was pink and white. The club prize, a fancy belt pin, was won by Mrs. A. D. Stanley, and Mrs. Calloway, of Fort Worth, Texas, won the consolation prize, a book of poems. Mrs. Hyatt, the guest of honor, was presented with a pink silk fan. Mrs. Reynolds served ice cream, with red raspberries, and cake.

IS DENIED HABEAS CORPUS

Patrick Bases Application on Commutation of His Sentence.

New York, June 16.—Judge Lacombe, of the United States circuit court, denied yesterday the application of Albert T. Patrick, the condemned murderer of Wm. Marsh Rice, for a writ of habeas corpus.

It is understood that the grounds advanced by Patrick on which the application was based was the commutation of his sentence from death to life imprisonment.

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